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THE WEATHER.
BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy, with showers; fresh southwest wind. For San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, with showers, fresh south wind.

Sunrise, 6:50; sunset, 5:23; moon sets 5:26 a.m. Tuesday.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 60 deg.; minimum, 50 deg. Wind 5 a.m., northeast; velocity, 5 miles; 5 p.m., south; velocity, 4 miles. At midnight the temperature was 48 deg.; clear.

TODAY—At 2 a.m. the temperature was 48 deg.; clear.

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The Times

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The City.

Mayor Harper fires the second broadside at his opponents; it is heavy-shotted and sizzling.

Municipal League, at pre-arranged meeting today, to name its candidate against the Mayor; one in every three signatures on recall petitions declared invalid.

Tons of literature relative to this city and vicinity, are being distributed broadcast through the East, in anticipation of the coming Elks' convention.

First through steamer from Seattle to San Diego due at San Pedro today.

Fourteen prisoners at workhouse sign the pledge at Murphy temperance meeting.

Jewish Orphans' Home dedicated with impressive ceremonies.

Southern California.

Pasadena estimates that 5000 people visited the mountains for a frolic in the snow yesterday.

Around neck of skeleton on San Nicholas Island huge pearls from extinct red abalone are found by Angeleno.

Delano man run over and killed by Los Angeles-Pacific car at Hermosa.

Pomona man, aged 34 years, killed on Espee track.

Calexico man painfully injured at Colton by jumping off fast-moving train.

Deputy Sheriff of Moneta arrested at Redondo on complaint of woman.

Artesia wells throw greatly increased amount of water and the ranchers wonder why.

Anaheim will offer free site for $25,000 tannery; woman teacher arrested [illegible]

Big honey house to be erected at El Centro with capacity of eight carloads.

Water struck at ten feet on desert claim at Coyote Wells.

Cantaloupe acreage in Imperial Valley this season expected to reach 5000 acres.

Troubles between settlers and Palo Verde Water Company far from being settled; dissatisfied people leave valley rather than submit to company's terms.

Hindu invasion causes stir in San Bernardino Valley; new arrivals not welcomed by Japanese.

By moving fences Compton farmers save acres.

Curious crowd from city visits smoking mountain near Fort Los Angeles.

Sharks fence tourists at Via Juana; San Diego police unable to afford protection; detectives think woman shot brother-in-law through jealousy.

Fire in newspaper office at Pomona causes $2500 loss.

Los Angeles woman escapes from nurse, goes to Ocean Park, wades into ocean, is swept into breakers and rescued by two tourists just in nick of time.

Long Beach couple toss quarter to decide whether to get married now or wait; they wed at once.

Pacific Slope.

Fury finds game warden at Red Bluffs guilty of manslaughter in killing of aged Indian.

Records which Gov. Kibbey of Arizona is accused of mutilating protect name of F. J. Heney.

Text of President's letter regarding anti-Japanese legislation made public at State capital; bill called "violation of patriotic duty, causeless and objectless."

General Eastern.

George Busse, brother of Chicago Mayor, accidentally discharges revolver and wealthy woman in next house falls with bullet through heart.

Morris and Company officials said to face indictment in grand jury report to Washington on beef trust investigation.

Many prominent business men, merchants and bankers sign petition asking that Charles F. Morse be permitted to give bail pending appeal of his case.

Recently widowed, woman about to remarry buys outfit for husband-to-be, pays clergyman and supplies carriage.

John D. Rockefeller's Cleveland church faces revolution; conservatives force out liberal management.

Doctor submits to operation to prove his theory right and dies.

Shipwrecked on steamer Republic, Dominick Rousseau, homeward bound with savings of years, learns value of money and returns to New York to engage himself.

Interrupting services, Atlanta deacon announces widow about to join church, lying she stole grave in which husband is buried.

Washington.

President's friends are advising him that libel suits at Washington are mistake in policy and that States should be left to prosecute violation of laws.

With convening of new Congress close at hand, formation of important committees is subject of much gossip at national capital.

Foreign.

American fleet is given magnificent welcome at Gibraltar by representatives of English, Russian, French and Dutch navies.

Financial.

Wall Street suffers from downward tendency of speculation and fears are entertained of halt in onward march of prosperity.

Alton road will probably pay fine of $10,000 imposed on Frederick A. Wann for rebating while in its employ.

WRECK STILL MYSTERY.

NORFOLK, (Va.) Jan. 31.—Hidden beneath the turbulent waves that roll over Diamond shoals, 14 miles off Cape Hatteras, the secret of the identity of the mysterious steamer which went down there early yesterday, probably with all on board, remains untold. The crew of the Diamond shoals lighthouse were unable to help this wreck on the well named "grave yard of the Atlantic." When darkness fell on the scene tonight, not a piece of wreckage had been found.

INCAUTIOUS VALOR.

PRESIDENT HEATED.

Libel Suit Mistake, It May Be.

Friends of Mr. Roosevelt Say Cases Should Be Left to States.

Dragging Offenders to the Capital Is Dangerous Precedent.

Similar Attempt Failed in a Former Instance and Would Again.

BY WALTER WELLMAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Is President Roosevelt about to make the greatest mistake of his public career? Is he in danger of being forced to retire to private life amid a storm of indignation, sweeping from one end of the country to the other, caused by efforts of his to override the rights of private citizens?

Some of Mr. Roosevelt's best friends believe this danger exists and they have not hesitated to tell him so. It is in his efforts to prosecute Editor Joseph Pulitzer of the New York World and Editor Delavan Smith of the Indianapolis News for libel in publication of certain tales about the Panama canal purchase that the menace lies.

This somewhat extraordinary proceeding is as yet more or less involved in mystery. Grand juries have been sitting in New York and Washington but no indictments, so far as is known, have been returned. The plans of the government are in doubt. There are rumors that the prosecution may be dropped entirely at the order of President Roosevelt. There are also rumors that the accused are to be indicted and be brought from their places of residence to Washington for trial in the Federal courts.

UNFORESEEN ISSUE.

It is just here arises an issue transcending in importance the earlier aspects of the affair, though neither President Roosevelt nor any of his advisers appear to have realised it until within the last few days. This issue is whether or not an American citizen, charged with the crime of libel or slander, can be dragged from his home and put upon trial in a jurisdiction far away. If President Roosevelt succeeds in his apparent purpose to bring Editors Pulitzer and Smith from New York and Indianapolis to Washington for trial and convicts them, he will, in the opinion of many of his friends, not only establish a dangerous and evil precedent, but arouse a storm of protest and indignation rarely equaled in our political history. Far better for the fame of one of our greatest and most popular Presidents would it be, in the opinion of not a few of Mr. Roosevelt's friends, to drop the whole affair and permit the offending editors to go scot free, rather than attempt to inflict such an outrage upon the liberties of the American press and the American citizen.

OTHER MEN'S AFFAIRS.

If Editors Pulitzer and Smith have committed the crime of libel in this case they have committed it against Douglas Robinson, the President's brother-in-law, and Charles P. Taft, half-brother of the President-elect. Mr. Pulitzer's crime, if he has committed one, was done in the city of New York, and Mr. Smith's in the city of Indianapolis. Mr. Robinson lives in New York and Mr. Taft in Cincinnati. The natural, the normal procedure in punishment would be for Mr. Robinson to cause the arrest and indictment of Mr. Pulitzer in the courts of New York and for Mr. Taft to do likewise with Mr. Smith in the courts of Indianapolis. Action against the defendants would be taken in the name of the State. They would be accused of the crime of "violation of the peace and order of the community, and of acts tending to produce riot," in the language of the law.

The theory of the law is that he who slanders or libels another is guilty of a crime against the State because of the provocation to reprisal on the part of the injured person or persons, leading sometimes to assault or murder. For this reason the crime of libel is like the crime of burglary or arson, an offense against the State rather than against the individual or individuals who happen to be injured. These latter appear as witnesses for the State, as it is now proposed Mr. Robinson shall appear as a witness for the Federal government in case an indictment shall be returned by the Federal grand jury.

PRINCIPLE AT STAKE.

Why was not the usual course followed in these cases, to-wit: Arrests and prosecutions in the courts of New York and Indiana? First, because President Roosevelt's great and pardonable indignation led him to wish to have a hand in the prosecution, with the power of the Federal government at his back; second, because great doubt existed whether conviction could be had in the State courts of New York and Indiana. Therefore the prosecution has so far proceeded upon the theory that if it can bring the accused to Washington for trial, a conviction can be secured which might

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NEW JOB FOR EX-PRESIDENT

Mr. Roosevelt Offered $300,000 to Head Rough Rider Show.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BRIDGEPORT (Ct.) Jan. 31. [Exclusive Dispatch.] President Roosevelt has been offered $300,000 for an engagement of thirty weeks to head a Rough Rider show in opposition to that of Buffalo Bill. The man making the offer is James Atlas, once champion heavyweight wrestler. Besides $300,000 there will be two private cars and a stenographer for the exclusive use of Mr. Roosevelt. The letter follows:

"Will you accept an engagement of thirty weeks at a salary of $10,000 a week ($300,000 in all,) commencing the first day of May, 1909, to head a Wild West exhibition entitled 'Theodore Roosevelt's Company of Rough Riders?'

"An early reply will be appreciated."

NEXT PORT IS HOME.

FLEET HAILED AT GIBRALTAR.

WELCOME OF MANY NATIONS MEETS BATTLESHIPS.

Admiral Sperry Is Preparing for Last Leg of the Long Journey Home While Officers and Men Are Feted by English—Last Reception Is Magnificent.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

GIBRALTAR, Jan. 31.—The first division of the United States Atlantic fleet, composed of the Connecticut, Vermont, Kansas and Minnesota, under command of Rear-Admiral Sperry, arrived here this morning from Ville Franche.

From the moment the glistening white hulls of the American ships were specks on the blue water of the Mediterranean, every point of vantage on the rock of Gibraltar was occupied by the population.

Two British battleships, the Albemarle and the Albion, and the four ships of the second squadron of cruisers, just returned from South American waters; the Russian battleships Tsarevitch and Slava, and the protected cruisers Bogatyr and Oleg; the French gunboat Cassine and the Dutch gunboat Helmadal, lying inside the breakwater with sides manned, flags dipping and bands playing, greeted the Americans as each in turn entered and was berthed.

The American battleships responded with music, the band on the Connecticut playing the national anthem of each country. As they passed the jackies aboard the Russian warships uncovered and stood with bared heads while the American bands rendered "God Save the Czar."

Vice-Admiral Sir James E. Goodrich, the admiral commander of all the naval establishments at Gibraltar, although Rear-Admiral Sperry's senior in rank, did not wait for the latter's visit, but immediately boarded the Connecticut to extend his greetings, at the same time insisting that the ships of the divisions due here tomorrow as far as possible anchor in the basin instead of on the Algeciras side, as previously arranged.

The senior officers of the warships followed suit and later in the day Rear-Admiral Sperry returned the calls, going first to Admiralty House, to repay Vice-Admiral Goodrich's courtesy.

At sundown the Georgia and Nebraska, under command of Rear-Admiral Wainwright, arrived from Tangier.

Five colliers and the Yankton are already here and the coaling of the first division will begin tomorrow.

Besides entertainments for the men to be given by the Military Governor, such as athletics, dinners and parties ashore and afloat for the officers, the functions will include a dinner to be given by the Military Governor, Gen. Sir Frederick Forester-Walker, which will be followed by a ball at the assembly rooms arranged by Richard L. Sprague, the American Consul, there also will be a big gymnastic tournament in which the American officers are expected to participate as competitors.

The arrangement for the reception to the fleet on its return to Hampton Roads has been completed. It practically reverses the programme carried out when the fleet sailed.

President Roosevelt on board the Mayflower, anchored between the Horseshoe and Lynnhaven Bay, will review the fleet as it passes in at noon on February 22. Rear-Admiral Sperry, the other commanders and executive officers will then go aboard the Mayflower to receive the President's greetings, after which the President in turn will visit the flagship of each division, and meet the assembled officers and six representative sailor men selected from the division.

The Yankton will leave here for Hampton Roads tomorrow.

The former Sultan of Morocco, Abdel Aziz, passed the night on board the Georgia. It was the first time he was ever aboard a warship, and his childish delight was amusing. The working of the guns was explained to him through interpreters.

NATIONAL POLICY.

GILLETT'S LETTER.

Alien Bill Would Invert Authority.

Mr. Roosevelt Arraigns the Legislation in Message to Governor.

Says the Drew Act Ignores the Federal Treaties With Mikado.

Embodies Secretary Root's Opinion in Long Memorandum.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—The following is a copy of President Roosevelt's letter to Gov. Gillett, received today, regarding the anti-Japanese legislation now pending in the Legislature.

"The White House, Washington, Jan. 26.

"My dear Governor: Prior to receiving your letter, and accompanying copies of bills you had sent identical telegrams to the Secretary of State and myself, and to this the Secretary of State answered as follows:

"'Jan. 25, 1909.

"'Hon. J. Gillett, Governor of California, Sacramento: I see no objection to the passage of a law which treats all aliens alike in acquiring and transferring real property. To avoid conflict with the Constitution of the United States, such statute should contain an expressed provision excepting from its operation any rights secured by treaty between the United States and foreign nations.

[Signed] "'ELIHU ROOT.'

ROOT'S MEMORANDUM.

"I have now received your letter and the copies of the bills. The Secretary of State has submitted to me the following memorandum, which has my cordial approval:

"'Memorandum for the President on bills in the Legislature relating, or supposed to relate, to Japanese:

"'I have been able only to make a cursory examination of these bills, and can only give you first impressions. It is quite possible that upon careful consideration other ideas might present themselves. Senate bill 71, entitled An Act to Prohibit Alien Ownership of Land in the State of California.

"'This appears to apply to aliens generally, and in that view is free from specific objection, except that the act provides aliens shall have rights as to personal property as accorded to citizens of the United States under the laws of the nation to which such alien belongs, or by treaties with the United States except as the same be affected by the provisions of this act or the Constitution of the State.

"'This inverts the order of authority. It is settled beyond any possibility of doubt or question by repeated decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States that a treaty made in pursuance of the Constitution is controlling as against inconsistent provisions of either the statutes of the Constitution of any State. That is the expressed provision of the Constiution of the United States under which the State of California was admitted to the Union.

INVERTS FACTS.

"'The treaties between the United States and a considerable number of foreign nations have reciprocal provisions for reciprocal rights of citizens as to holding real and personal property. It is perfectly well settled that the making of such reciprocal provisions is within the treaty-making power, and instead of aliens having in the State of California such rights as are accorded to them by these treaties except as they may be affected by the provisions of the act or of the Constitution of California, the precise reverse is necessarily true. The proper statement would be that their rights are prescribed and limited in the act except as they are conferred and declared by the treaty. This general statement is true of all aliens, the citizens or subjects of nations which have such treaties as I have described with the United States.

RIGHTS OF JAPANESE.

"'In the particular case of Japan, the second article of the treaty of November 22, 1894, provides that the citizens of each in the other country, may trade in any part of the territories of the other, by wholesale or retail, in all kinds of produce, manufactures and merchandise of lawful commerce, either in person or by agents, singly or in partnership with foreigners or native citizens or subjects; and they may there own or hire and occupy houses, manufactories, warehouses, shops and premises which may be necessary for them and lease land for residential and commercial purposes, conforming themselves to the laws, police and customs regulations of the country like native citizens or subjects.

"'In my opinion, this provision does not confer rights to either own or hire agricultural lands, but is limited to owning and hiring lands and the structures thereon for residential and commercial purposes, including within commercial purposes both manufacture and trade.

"'To the extent that these rights go, that is to say, as to residential

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CHICAGO PACKER WHO FACES INDICTMENT.

Edward Morris,

Head of Morris and Company, whose affairs have been under investigation by Federal grand jury, and whose possible indictment in report to Washington is rumored.

TRUST BUSTING.

BIG PACKERS FACE FEDERAL INDICTMENT.

Indications in Beef Trust Investigation Point to Findings Adverse to Morris and Company, the Only Firm Considered.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Federal grand jury will begin tomorrow what is expected to be the last week of the investigation of the beef industry which began December 22nd. About ten or twelve witnesses remain to be examined.

Every recent action on the part of the grand jury and government attorneys points toward the indictment of some of the officials of Morris & Co. In fact Assist. Dist.-Attys. James H. Wilkerson and Robert W. Childs have already begun the work of classifying the documentary evidence for subsequent use, as if they considered indictments certain.

The government's attorneys and the grand jurors are making no preparations that are evident to extend the investigation to other packing concerns than Morris & Co.

Dist.-Atty. Sims has persistently refused to say that no other packers would be investigated, but with the one investigation drawing to a close, there is a total absence of activity indicating that another of similar nature will be taken up.

If indictments are brought upon the charge of accepting rebates, there is no doubt that they will be brought against the heads of the firms or the superintendents. All the department managers that could possibly be involved have been called upon to furnish testimony and would be immune from prosecution.

The documentary evidence in the case has accumulated until there are now estimated to be 500 books and papers relative to shipments of meats and damage claims in the possession of the government.

The minor details of some of the transactions will not be presented to the grand jury at all, but will be worked out by the attorneys after the grand jury has finished hearing the witnesses this week and turns over what documentary evidence remains to the attorneys.

It is declared by a Federal official who is in close touch with the District Attorney's office that a report has been sent to the Department of Justice at Washington to the effect that enough evidence has already been heard to justify the voting of indictments and that all subsequent work on the part of the grand jury is for the purpose of collecting evidence to strengthen the case.

The government has had under investigation files and papers relative to damage claims of Morris & Co. against practically every railroad entering Chicago. These particular claims were selected by the special agents who worked up the case, and it is evidently the intention of the government to base a separate count, if indictments are voted, upon each damage claim as a separate transaction.

IN NEED.

POWERFUL FRIENDS ASK BAIL FOR MORSE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Friends of Charles W. Morse, the convicted banker are preparing a petition to the judges of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, asking them to admit Morse to bail pending his appeal from Judge Hough's sentence of fifteen years in the Federal prison at Atlanta for violations of the national banking laws. Scores of merchants and bankers have already signed the petition. Mr. Morse is at present in the Tombs.

Seth M. Milliken, ex-president of the Mercantile National Bank, and James Talcott, commission merchant and capitalist, are heading the movement. Others working in behalf of Mr. Morse include Charles M. Schwab, Edward J. Berwell and ex-Gov. William T. Cobb of Maine.

Mr. Milliken was associated with Mr. Morse for many years on the directorate of the Mercantile Bank.

Ex-Gov. Cobb, who was in college with Mr. Morse, recently came to New York for the express purpose of visiting Mr. Morse in the Tombs. Before leaving for his home in Rockland, Me., he said:

"I do not believe and cannot believe that Mr. Morse ever intended to do any one an injury or break any law. In all my personal dealings I always found him as straight as a string. Mr. Morse was a good friend to me in the days of his prosperity, and I want the world to know that I am loyal to him now in his adversity."

FIRST SHIP FROM CANAL.

West Channel to Be Used Today—Taft Finds That the Ditch Is All Right.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PANAMA, Jan. 31.—The new Pacific channel to the canal will be used for the departure of a steamship for the first time tomorrow.

The engineers accompanying President-elect Taft spent today at Gatun with the chief engineer of the canal, Col. Goethals. They had no fault to find with the foundations of the dam, and regarded the plans for safeguarding the dam as being complete. They will make a report to President Roosevelt. They will inspect Culebra cut tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Taft attended the Episcopal Church today and later the President-elect received the British Minister.

TRAGEDY OF FATES.

BULLET IS ASSASSIN.

Chance Ball Flies to Woman's Heart.

George Busse, Brother of Chicago Mayor, Kills His Neighbor.

Discharge of "Unloaded" Gun Fatal to Visitor in Next House.

Unhappy Man Driven Frantic When He Learns of the Result.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. L. C. Tuckerman, aged 32 years, a resident of New York, was shot and instantly killed at 7 o'clock this evening by George Busse, brother of the Mayor of Chicago. The revolver was accidentally discharged, the bullet crashing through two windows, across an areaway and piercing the heart of Mrs. Tuckerman.

She was the daughter of Gen. A. C. Girard, retired, who resides in the Walton Apartments, in a fashionable residence district on the north side. George Busse lives in the same apartment buildings, occupying a flat separated from the Girard home by a twelve foot areaway.

Mr. Busse was planning to leave the city on a business trip, and was explaining to his maid, Bertha Lambke, how to use the revolver, one of the new magazine weapons, which shoot with great force. His brother, the Mayor, was present at the time. In some manner, no one is able to explain, the weapon was discharged.

AWFUL DISCOVERY.

For a time the extent of the damage was not known. Then the brothers went to the broken window and noticed the excitement in the Girard apartments. They ran to the home of Gen. Girard, and learned of the death of Mrs. Tuckerman. George Busse was driven frantic by the accident, and no one has been able to converse with him since he learned he had killed his neighbor. Mayor Busse summoned physicians from every direction and also notified the police.

George Busse has not been arrested, and Gen. and Mrs. Girard say they do not wish his arrest, as they are convinced the shooting was purely accidental. Mrs. Girard, mother of the victim, says her daughter was standing in front of a dresser in her bedroom, arranging her hair, when the shot came through the window. She staggered to the door and called to her mother, saying she had been shot and pitched forward upon the floor, expiring immediately.

The general, his wife and Mrs. Tuckerman, were the sole occupants of the Girard home at the time of the shooting, the servants having departed for the evening.

MOTHER OF THREE.

Mrs. Tuckerman was the wife of Lucius C. Tuckerman, who has an estate at Milton-on-Hudson, Ulster county, N. Y. She was the mother of three children. Her husband was notified by wire tonight of the fatality, and has started West to take the body home for burial.

Gen. A. C. Girard, the father of Mrs. Tuckerman, is widely known in army circles. For many years he was connected with the medical corps of the United States army and formerly in charge of the United States general hospital at the Presidio, in San Francisco.

"EMPTY" REVOLVER.

The grief in the Girard home is no more intense than that in the Busse home across the areaway. It is explained there that the revolver had been brought into the house because of the recent numerous burglaries in the district. Mr. Busse was to be absent for a number of days and Bertha Lambke, the maid, was fearful of remaining alone. In order to reassure her, special police calls had been installed and Mr. Busse brought home a revolver, the mechanism of which he was demonstrating to her when the accident occurred. He had supposed the weapon was empty. The Mayor, who also was watching the explanation and demonstration, says he can not say how the weapon came to be discharged.

MARRIED IN LOS ANGELES.

VICTIM A DIVORCEE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Tuckerman's maiden name was E. Elizabeth Girard. She was married to Capt. Ross L. Burk, U.S.A., but in August, 1907, she got a divorce from him in Winnemucca, Nev., on the ground that he subjected her to mental cruelty. He was stationed at Alcatraz Island, in San Francisco Bay. She charged that he allowed himself no recreation except reading the Bible and that he made her the partner of his devotions.

About a year ago she was married to Mr. Tuckerman in Los Angeles. Lucius C. Tuckerman, the son of the late Walter C. Tuckerman, who for many years was connected with the Ulster Iron Works. He died in 1894. Lucius Tuckerman was graduated from Harvard in 1897 and has a farm at Milton, Ulster county, where he and Mrs. Tuckerman spent most of their time.

[illegible] properties of our springs the best. Excellent rooms and table. Automobile and Pullman baths. Free [illegible] Autoists' half-way house to San Diego. The Times Free Information Bureau.

RAILROAD RECORD.

LINE MAY PAY FOR MANAGER.

Wann not Likely to Be Asked to Settle up

Punished for Rebating While With Alton

Roads Still at Sea Over the Hepburn Act.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Frederick A. Wann, now general traffic manager of the Salt Lake Route, who was recently fined $19,000 for alleged rebating, will probably not be forced to take that sum out of his loose change. He was with the Alton railway when the rebating was committed and it was as an official of that system he was fined.

Following the precedent established by other western roads, it is believed the fine will be paid—in fact it must now be paid as there is no appeal from the last decision, but Mr. Wann is not likely to be embarrassed by the payment.

No doubt he feels more keenly the charge of rebating on what he considered a legitimate business transaction, and which the courts have been unable to stamp clearly as an illegal transaction. The Supreme Court in deciding the appeal was evenly divided. The lower court found Mr. Wann guilty, but the Court of Appeals, while sustaining the verdict in general, was divided upon questions of law. The Supreme Court was unable to decide these questions with the result that the railroads have no idea where they stand.

Many important questions bearing upon the Hepburn act are left undecided, and hundreds of traffic contracts are left suspended in the air because the courts cannot make clear their interpretation of the case. The railroads had hoped for a clear, unequivocal settlement of all questions, in order that they might go ahead on the new basis.

Now they fear to do business with any industrial roads or even to operate their own spur lines to industrial plants since no one can determine whether or not the act would be illegal.

About the only certain point is that the fines, once laid, must be paid.

FRUIT SHIPMENTS.

DISCUSS UNIFORM RULE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A question of unusual importance scheduled for consideration by the Transcontinental Freight Bureau when that body reconvenes tomorrow is the proposed adoption of a uniform rule covering delivery of reconsignments without surrender of bills of lading of east-bound shipments of fruit and vegetables from Pacific Coast points.

These goods are of a perishable nature and must of necessity be handled quickly. On reconsignments it is said to be impossible at times for the final consignee to obtain the bill of lading. As a result some rule is needed satisfactory to both east and west-bound lines and also fulfill the legal requirements.

WANT CZAR'S APOLOGY.

Demand Made for Reparation for Execution of Regularly Enlisted Soldier of Uncle Sam.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In a vigorous resolution passed at a mass meeting held at the German Theater today, the United States government was called on to take immediate action to secure from Russia an apology and reparation for the death of Fritz Strombach, a regularly enlisted soldier of the United States army, a veteran in the Philippine war, and a former resident of this city, who, according to information recently received, was executed by Russian authorities while on a furlough in that country to visit his mother.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the German Trades Union. Strombach's execution by shooting took place on October 19, 1907, but the facts have only been learned by his friends in this city during the last few days. It was declared that the Russian government had been instrumental in having the matter suppressed.

DISPROVED BY DEATH.

Doctor Submits to Operation to Prove Theory and Dies.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FORT WAYNE, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dr. Herman G. Nierman, a young and wealthy doctor of this city, died this morning, after setting the medical world astir by voluntarily undergoing an intestinal operation, to prove a radical theory he first advanced at the Washington Medical Congress. Dr. Nierman contended that the large colon was unnecessary for one's health, and that because of its being a breeding ground for diseases was harmful.

Dr. Nierman submitted to the operation last Tuesday, and local doctors say that the surgery was faultless. Death resulted from hernia and peritonitis. Dr. Nierman had asked a number of outside surgeons to operate upon him, but all refused. It is believed that this was the third operation of the kind known to science, the other two having been performed by Dr. Nierman himself.

Frederick A. Wann,

General traffic manager of the Salt Lake Route, whose fine for rebating the Chicago and Alton railway, will pay.

TO FIGHT FOR MILLIONS.

South Bend Man to Bring Suit for Site of Thriving Canadian Town.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SOUTH BEND (Ind.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] C. H. Labodie, treasurer of the Hamilton National Insurance Company, with headquarters in South Bend, has completed arrangements to file suit in the court at Toronto, Canada, to recover for the Labodie heirs, the site on which is now located Walkerville, Canada. Twenty-two million dollars involved, of which C. H. Labodie's share, in case of a favorable decision, will be $8,100,000.

Labodie has a power of attorney from the majority of the heirs, and he will now push the case to the highest court of Great Britain, if necessary.

Labodie bases his action on a grant made by the government to his ancestors when they emigrated from England, and settled in Essex county, Canada. The grant included all of the land now known as Walkerville. The greater part of this property remained in the possession of the Labodie family for years. Seventy-five years ago the Labodies built a distillery, which has now grown into a mammoth concern, and this plant figures in the suit to be filed.

GRIMM SUSPICION.

TRAPPER MAY BE CANNIBAL.

Half-Insane Belgian Found Badly Frozen.

Two Companions' Bodies Were Carved by Knife.

Suspect Too Hazy to Tell What Happened.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OTTAWA (Ont.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The discovery of a Belgian trapper named Grasset badly frozen and half insane in the wilderness near Fort Albany, on James Bay, may clear up the mysterious cases of cannibalism discovered last summer in Chiboogamoo district of Quebec province.

Grasset, with a French trapper named Bernard, and a guide, a French Canadian named Lemieux, left Roberyat, Quebec, with the intention of hunting and trapping in the Chiboogamoo district.

Last May a party of hunters found the body of Lemieux with all the flesh carved off, indicating that the missing parts had not been eaten by wolves. An inquest confirmed the belief that the flesh had all been cut away with a knife. Natives in the Chiboogamoo district hinted at murder and cannibalism.

A few weeks later the body of Bernard, also denuded of flesh in the same manner, was discovered. All trace of Grasset had been lost until found at James Bay. Although he is in maudlin condition due to his sufferings, he denies killing and eating his companions.

He will not be brought back to civilization before the opening of navigation, as Fort Albany can only be reached on snowshoes in winter and by canoe in summer.

THRICE TRIED DEATH.

WICHITA (Kan.) Jan. 31.—It was determined today by the Coroner that Carl H. Stowe, the Pueblo, Colo., traveling man who was found dead in his bed in a hotel here last night, did not die of heart disease, but committed suicide by taking morphine.

It was also learned that he had made three attempts to take his life during the last month, once by shooting, once by poisoning, and the third time he tried to throw himself into the Arkansas River at Pueblo.

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fair and cold weather followed the worst blizzard of the season which broke on Friday night and continued yesterday. Much suffering continues and railroad traffic is still impeded, but conditions today were better than yesterday. There was not much wind today, but the temperature still hangs around freezing point. The maximum temperature was 18 deg. with a minimum of 5.

Middle West temperatures: Alpena, 2; Bismarck, 28; Cairo, 18; Cheyenne, 34; Cincinnati, 20; Cleveland, 16; Davenport, 12; Denver, 40; Des Moines, 14; Detroit, 10; Devil's Lake, 22; Dodge City, 34; Dubuque, 8; Duluth, 8; Escanaba, 14; Grand Rapids, 12; Green Bay, 12; Helena, 40; Huron, 26; Indianapolis, 18; Kansas City, 22; Marquette, 10; Memphis, 24; Milwaukee, 12; Omaha, 24; St. Louis, 14; St. Paul, 8; Sault Ste. Marie, 10; Springfield, Ill., 14; Springfield, Mo., 26; Wichita, 30.

MILLIONS FOR SCHOOLS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—The Chicago school board has made public its plans to erect within the next two or three years forty-six new school buildings and additions at a total cost of $8,873,000.

PROMOTING IRRIGATION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—"The irrigation of arid lands in the West, together with the promotion of forestry, deep waterways, drainage of swamp lands and settlements will be given great encouragement by the National Irrigation Congress, to be held at Spokane, August 9 to 14," said George W. Barstow, president of the congress, while here today. "Mr. Taft is being urged to visit the Pacific Coast at that time to attend not only the congress, but the Alaska-Yukon Exposition at Seattle. Special trains are to run from points in Arizona, New Mexico, Nevada, California, Idaho and Montana."

LAND FRAUD TRIAL.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

MUSKOGEE (Okla.) Jan. 31.—Witnesses from Nashville, Tenn., who are called to testify before the Federal grand jury in the alleged town-lot fraud investigation, began arriving in Muskogee today. Attorney S. R. Rush and Dist.-Atty. Gregg held a conference tonight with all the witnesses now here. The conspiracy to defraud allegations, it is said, will be based upon three propositions; first, connivance of government representatives when the lots were scheduled to "dummies;" second, knowledge of "dummies" of the use being made of their names; third, conspiracy limited to the few who scheduled names of "dummies" and subsequently tried to have all the lots quit-claimed for their benefit.

NEGROES SLIGHTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Springfield Law and Order League (colored,) today adopted resolutions bitterly condemning the Lincoln Centennial Association for excluding negroes from the Lincoln Centenary celebration here February 12, declaring such action violates the very principle for which Abraham Lincoln fought hardest. The negroes are to hold a celebration of their own. One thousand business men from all parts of the United States will hear Robert T. Lincoln, William Jennings Bryan, Ambassador Bryce and Jusserand and others at the regular celebration exclusively for white people. Isaac R. Diller, chairman of the temperance committee of the Lincoln celebration, evolved a novel scheme for reducing the consumption of wine at the Lincoln banquet. Because of the widespread protests against serving wine at the big dinner, the managers have consented to eliminate it at such of the tables as are occupied by teetotalers, and Isaac is writing letters to each ticket holder asking him to indicate his preference for a temperance table, where wine will form no part of the refershments. The proposal to divide the banqueting hall into "dry" and "wet" territory was the suggestion of a newspaper paragrapher who has been making merry at the expense of the committee since it became involved in the trouble with the anti-liquor Lincoln admirers. While it was made in a spirit of levity, the distracted committee seized it as the only solution of the difficulty and announced that those who objected to wine could have tables where nothing but milk and mineral water would be served.

MEDICAL FALLACIES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A popular fear of mortification setting in where frozen members of the human body are treated with hot applications was cited as a fallacy by Dr. J. M. Seifert, in a popular lecture on "Surgical Emergencies," at the Public Library building tonight. Dr. Seifert also said alcohol would neutralize the effects of carbolic acid, the discovery being made accidentally by the maid of a German doctor, who drank the acid with suicidal intent and then swallowed alcohol to relieve the pain. The application of lemon juice, in the case of dog bites, would reduce the probability of hydrophobia, the speaker said.

FRENCH SPEEDER FINED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Samuel Dauchy, when fined by Judge Newcomer yesterday for violating the auto speed law, took occasion to compare traffic conditions of Chicago and Paris, to the credit of the French capital. "In Paris, unlike Chicago, there are certain streets where speeding is allowed," Mr. Dauchy told the court. "The traffic is well regulated there, while here in Chicago not enough police are provided to catch the guilty ones. I am an advocate of limiting the speed of automobiles as well as vehicles, but in my case I was not at fault." Despite his dissertation the court fined him $20, when he admitted he was driving over fifteen miles an hour.

HOT SPRINGS WIDE OPEN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HOT SPRINGS, Ark.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After four years of silent submission to the call of the reform wave in this city, the palatial Arkansas Club, where gaming knows no limit, opens tomorrow under the management of Col. James of New York. The game will be on in all the speculative laxity that made this club famous when "Dutch" Fred Walburn, Cy Jaynes and others were at the helm and handling an unlimited bank roll in which many easterners had a part. Senator-elect Elihu Root arrived here today, "to get away from the strenuous life and give a sprained knee a chance to mend." He will remain three weeks. His knee was injured when he was alighting from a carriage at Washington. In his bath robe he was mistaken today by a guest for a famous pugilist.

TOP AND BOTTOM—LOOK!

To lead the World of Publicity—that is the distinction of Los Angeles and The Times. Dirigo!

The great referendum on the question of advertising has been settled again. The returns for the month of December are in and show another overwhelming victory for the winners—Los Angeles and the Los Angeles Times.

In volume of advertising for December The Times again beat all the newspapers of the country—which means the earth, as shown in the subjoined authentic statement giving the actual number of columns of advertising printed by the leaders.

Appended at the bottom, by way of comparison, is the number of columns published by the Express, although it does not belong in the list of the "promunint" ones, its business being too small.

DECEMBER, 1908.

Newspaper.	Cols.
Los Angeles Times	4352
Seattle Times	3165
Chicago Tribune	2931
St. Louis Post-Dispatch	2866
New York World	2784
Oregon Journal (Portland)	2602
Kansas City Evening Star	2591
Detroit News and Sunday News-Tribune	2527
Minneapolis Journal	2442
Philadelphia Inquirer	2247
Baltimore American	2082
Los Angeles Evening Express	1824

Stated in columns of 294 agate lines.

RUBBED OUT.

MUTILATED RECORDS PROTECT F. J. HENEY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOMBSTONE (Ariz.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The minute book of the United States Court in which Gov. Joseph H. Kibbey of Arizona is accused of mutilating a record relating to the trial of James G. Raymart, charged with adultery, is in the hands of the clerk of the District Court here.

The erasure, charged to have been made by the Governor, deals apparently with the reasons for discharging the jury in the case, because of the assertion on the part of the Prosecuting Attorney, that members of it had been seen drinking at a public bar with the attorney for the defense, F. J. Heney.

On pages 130 and 131, minute book No. 1, the entries are completely removed, and but little of the original record can be made out, even with the most painstaking care. Enough can, however, be read to show that the pages deal with the discharge of the Raymart jury.

Over the grasures on page 131 is written:

"So much of this record as contained a finding of facts, they not being required by law to be recorded, I ordered obliterated and made the obliteration at the city of Phoenix in January, 1893, in the presence of Hon. R. E. Sloan and Hon. E. W. Wells, associate justices of the Supreme Court, and Hon. F. J. Heney and G. C. Israel.

[Signed] "JOSEPH H. KIBBEY."

The original date of the minute book is June 26, 1891, showing that the erasure was made nearly two years later at Phoenix, while the original record was made at Florence during the trial of James C. Raymart.

It was during the trial of Raymart that United States Attorney Thomas F. Wilson made his discovery of the practices of the attorney for the defense. This he followed immediately by his protest to the court.

According to other records than that in the mutilated minute book the following morning after seeing Heney and members of the jury talking and drinking in the bar of the Florence hotel, Wilson asked the court to discharge the jury, and asserted that he believed it had been unduly tampered with.

After hearing his statement of the facts the court decided in his favor, and the jury was dismissed.

"In the minute book reference was of course made to the conduct of the attorney for the defense and the jury as alleged by the prosecution and it is this record that has been obliterated.

BEATS BARKIS.

THIS BRIDE IS MORE WILLING.

PAYS CLERGYMAN FOR TYING MARRIAGE KNOT.

Before the Ceremony Takes Husband-to-Be to Department Store and Buys Frock Coat, Trousers, Patent Leather Shoes and Silk Hat. Also Hires a Carriage.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] When the husband of Mrs. Mary Chambo, a nurse, of East Twenty-first street, Bayonne, N. J., died six months ago, an insurance society paid her $1500. Soon after Peter Sonsus began to pay attentions to the comely widow.

They sought a private interview today with Recorder Hugh Mara, and said they wished to wed. The Recorder suggested that they have the ceremony performed at the Greek Catholic Church. Mrs. Chambo was willing, but her intended said he thought his clothes were too shabby. He guessed he would have to go home and change.

"No, Peter," said Mrs. Chambo, "we have no time to lose; come with me and I will present you with a wedding outfit." She led Peter to a department store where he was provided with a frock coat, trousers and a white vest; also Mary purchased for Peter a pair of patent leather shoes, a silk hat, kid gloves, a white necktie and a silk handkerchief.

When the couple reached the street Peter said it would look odd to see a couple about to be married walking to the church. He suggested a coach. Mrs. Chambo shoved a bill in his hand and told him to engage one. When the pair were wed the bride paid the priest. The bride is 40 and the husband 26 years old.

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SEE OUR AVIARY OF RARE BIRDS

BEAUTIFUL GROUNDS

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Including berth and meals. Portland, $19.85, $12.25; Gray's Harbor, $19.85, $13.25. Seattle, $23.85, $17.35. S.S. YOSEMITE for SAN FRANCISCO and PORTLAND TUESDAY; S.S. NORWOOD for SAN FRANCISCO and SEATTLE WEDNESDAY, 4:30 A.M. Passenger service unsurpassed. Tickets WEST COAST S.S. OFFICE, 521 S. Spring St. Main 1200. THEO. FULTON, JR., General Agent.

PORTLAND, Eureka and San Francisco—

The steamer Elder will sail from San Pedro Sunday, January 31, 1909, at 7 p.m., direct for Portland (no change,) calling at San Francisco, Eureka and Astoria. For freight rates and reservations, call or phone City Offices North Pacific Steamship Co., 324 S. Spring St. Main 8115. F7620.

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Hundreds were turned away from both performances yesterday because the spacious Burbank theater was not large enough to hold the crowds. Whether you have read the book or not you will want to see this play. Everybody will be talking about it before the week ends. The Burbank stock company, in its more than nine years of existence, has had many big successes, but few like this.

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It has already been played to crowded houses for ten big, solid weeks within the past eight months and the tremendous interest now manifested in this unparalleled and surpassingly fine play makes it certain that another—an eleventh—week of unprecedented prosperity is in store for the Belasco this week. IF YOU HAVEN'T SEEN "THE GIRL OF THE GOLDEN WEST," BY ALL MEANS GET AROUND TO THE BOX OFFICE BRIGHT AND EARLY THIS MORNING AND GET YOUR SEATS—OTHERWISE YOU WILL SURELY BE DISAPPOINTED.

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LES SALVAGGIS, Parisian Whirlwind Dancers.

ROONEY SISTERS, American Girl Dancers.

Matinee Today

SCHOOL BOYS AND GIRLS, Gus Edward's Act.

ROGERS & DEELY, "The Singer and His Valet."

HIBBERT & WARREN, The Pianist and the Dancer.

EDWIN LATELL, As Mr. Bunion in "Dull Care."

ORPHEUM MOTION PICTURES.

NIGHTS—10c, 25c, 50c, 75c. MATINEES DAILY—10c, 25c, 50c.

GRAND OPERAHOUSE—Matinees Tuesday, Saturday, Sunday. BOTH PHONES 1067.

ALL THIS WEEK ONLY—FERRIS HARTMAN and his Company, in

"Tar and Tartar"

NIGHTS—15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. BARGAIN MATINEES—10c, 25c.

NEXT WEEK—"THE GIRL FROM PARIS."

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WEEK FEBRUARY 8TH—"THE RED MILL."

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McCAREY'S PAVILION NAUD JUNCTION **Tuesday Eve., Feb. 2—**

40--ROUNDS OF BOXING--40

FREDDIE WELSH vs. GEO. MEMSIC TEN ROUNDS

FRANKIE SULLIVAN vs. DWIGHT VAN, 4 rounds. HOBO DOUGHERTY, 10 rounds. YOUNG KAUFMAN vs. CHESTER MOOS vs. KID HAMILTON, 4 rounds. YOUNG SHARKEY vs. KID ADAMS, 4 rounds. GENE REDO vs. KID BRADY, 4 rounds. YOUNG TURNER vs. ED. HIGUAIS, 4 rounds. PRICES—$1, $2, $3, $5. Reserved seats for sale at A. B. Greenewald's Cigar Store, 107 South Spring Street.

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THE PACIFIC SLOPE STATES.

MOUNTAIN IS MOLE HILL.

JAP STUDENT ONLY SCARED.

University Boys Had no Part in Affair.

Laughing of Passer-by at Bottom of Rumor.

President Wheeler Says It Is Closed Incident.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BERKELEY, Jan. 31.—That the alleged attack upon K. Kaneko, a Japanese student, at the University of California, on the university campus Friday evening, turns out to have been a very trivial affair, and one in which the students of the university were not concerned, was the statement made tonight by President Benjamin Ide Wheeler, after an investigation of the matter.

"The best of feeling exists between the white and the few Japanese students at the university," said Mr. Wheeler. "My investigation shows that none of the students of the university were implicated in the alleged attack, and I do not for a moment believe that any of them would be guilty of such an act.

"The affair was a very trivial matter and has been unduly exaggerated. From what I have learned the Japanese met several boys who merely laughed at him and who may have jostled him a little. When he arrived at the place where he is living there was not a scratch on him, his clothing was not even disarranged and there was nothing about his appearance to indicate that he had been attacked. I believe that the alleged attack was largely a matter of Kaneko's imagination, and he is very sorry now."

Convinced that none of the university students had anything to do with the affair, President Wheeler said that the incident was closed so far as he was concerned.

ASK FREE TRADE.
COME FROM PHILIPPINES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—On their way to Washington, where they will urge the passage of the free trade bill, which will come up at the special session of Congress, that probably will be called by President Taft, John S. Hord, internal revenue collector for the Philippines; Daniel O'Connell, secretary of the Manila Merchants' Association, and Arthur J. Francis, a prominent business man from the Philippines, arrived yesterday on the Pacific Mail steamer Asia.

The three representatives of our insular possessions in the Orient are well fortified with facts and figures on the industrial, commercial and agricultural conditions in the islands, which they will lay before Congress to show why the tariff should be taken off the imports and exports in the Philippines.

Mr. O'Connell stated that as a result of the tariff there is a serious depression in the islands, but predicts that if the tariff is removed the imports from the United States would within five years increase from $5,000,000 to more than $75,000,000.

GOV. COSGROVE WORSE.
IN RETIREMENT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Jan. 31.—Gov. S. G. Cosgrove of Washington left Portland for California at 12:30 today in a private car attached to the Southern Pacific train. Gov. Cosgrove has experienced a setback in his condition and Mrs. Cosgrove felt that it would be inadvisable to permit her husband to be interviewed during his stay here. She stated the Governor is much worse than when he left Paso Robles a fortnight ago, and that all newspapers and other means by which he would learn anything in connection with Washington politics are withheld from him.

SNOW IN PILES.
THIRTY FEET ON SIERRAS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Reports received by the Southern Pacific from points along its line over the Sierra Nevada show that since the recent warm rains that melted off a large amount of snow an unusual amount has fallen to replace it. At places on the summit thirty feet of snow is reported. This is more than for many years.

Mining counties where the shortage of water for the summer was feared because the snow had melted off, now see plenty of water for operations all summer. Another continued spell of warm rain, however, would soon send the snow into the rivers again.

STEAMER ABLAZE AT SEA.

Passengers Hurry from Dinner to Watch Crew Fight Flames—Lasts Eight Days.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The tropical steamer Corona, which ran into port this morning to leave behind a pile of bad weather on the coast, came through an eight days' experience that tested the nerve, courage and endurance of all hands.

While the passengers sat calmly at dinner on January 25, the engines abruptly ceased their throbbings. The ship came to a dead stop. Some of the passengers rushed up to the deck and witnessed stirring scenes that kept them anxious and excited for some time.

The ship was on fire. It had started under a hatch forward, in the steerage, where for some reason, a lot of mattresses had been stored. The Corona was then 500 miles north of St. Thomas and 250 miles east of Turk's Island.

That the flames did not get beyond control was due to the personal courage and quick action of all hands.

DIES IN SISTER'S GRAVE.

AINSWORTH (Iowa) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Wesley Price, an old resident and sexton of the city cemetery, dropped dead yesterday, falling into the grave which he was digging for the body of his deceased sister.

PORTE INQUISITIVE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 31.—Kiamil Pasha, the Grand Vizier, today dispatched to Sofia an energetic note demanding to know definitely whether Bulgaria intends to resume negotiations.

FEAR FROST IN NORTH.

Almond Trees Blossoming and Growers Are Afraid of Cold Weather.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Almond trees have already begun blossoming in some portions of the Sacramento Valley, and growers fear frost will damage them before spring comes.

The warm weather that melted snows and brought floods down into the valley also caused fruit buds to swell. This will expose the crops to danger from frost until April. Apricots will also bloom earlier than usual, unless cold weather retards them.

FINANCIAL.

FEARS A HALT IN PROSPERITY.

WALL STREET SUFFERS FROM DOWNWARD TENDENCY.

Over-Abundance of Idle Cash and Reports of Backward Trade Conditions Second Efforts of Bears in Their Fight for Lower Prices. Stock Transactions Heavy.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The irregular movement of prices of stocks in last week's market, with the dominant tendency downward, gave a fair index of the speculative sentiment with the undertone leaning to the side of the depression.

The principal contesting factors at work were found in the redundant money supplies on the one side, and the reports of backward trade conditions, on which the plethoric money at the reserve centers was in itself a result. Of the trade outlook it is to be said that the stock market view is not so much in fear of a retrogression as it is of disappointment in the rate of progression.

Very large transactions in existing issues at the stock exchange are going on day after day. A large speculative element is perceptible in this activity in the heavy proportion of dealings in bonds affected by the transfer of control of the properties to stronger hands, or by prospective emergence from threats of bankruptcy or from the receiverships by reason of the improved financial situation.

This ready supply of new capital in response to corporation requirements, gives excellent promise of resumption of outlay suspended during the financial depression, although a modifying circumstance is the extensive refunding going on of short term obligations incurred on onerous terms during the money crisis.

Reports of railroad net earnings for December reveal the source of much of this disappointment in the radical cuts in expenses which are being made by them, to the striking improvement of their net return of profits, but to the deprivation of the industries supplying materials. The cut in railroad expenses, it is believed, represents much that is only deferred pending a revival of traffic and which must ultimately be covered by outlay.

The disposition to propose outlay is increased by the approaching revision of the tariff.

Pressure for price concessions also has its part, which is reported to be meeting with some consent from the minor independent steel companies.

In the copper trade, the large rate of production outruns the present demands of consumers with accumulation of stocks and a yielding tendency of prices.

The withdrawal of Paris from competition for gold in the London market early in the week was heralded as marking the end of the long continued policy of the Bank of France in the accumulation of gold.

The New York money market was indifferent to the evidence of a coming movement of gold from New York to London.

DEFINES SPIRITUAL MARRIAGE.

Leader of Society for Ethical Culture Says Movement Is Toward Closer Family Relations.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Aroused by the recent criticisms and discussions of the ethical culture marriage, Dr. Jovejoy Elliott, assistant leader of the Society for Ethical Culture, defended the position of the society at Carnegie Hall this morning, discussing "The Spiritual View of Marriage."

"Recently the right of the Ethical culture marriage, Dr. Lovejoy Elliott, was called into question," said Dr. Elliott, "from the legal standpoint, the question could be readily answered, but from the spiritual side it is not easy to make those unfamiliar with our movement fully appreciate the sacred character of our ceremony.

"The understanding of life as a whole comes not from many relations and experiences, but from understanding deeply and truly a few. Not a superficial, but a deep knowledge of human life holds for us the key and meaning. It is because the deepest experiences of the family are the key to all other relations of life that the family is the most important element in all society. Therefore it is that we are as far from holding loose and indefinite views of life, as far from believing in free love or any looser family relations as we can be. In these matters of the family we are strict constructionists—strict constructionists of the law of the State, strict constructionists of the spiritual law."

Dr. Elliott announced that $165,000 had been subscribed for the new home of the society, and that a mass meeting would be held on February 9 for the purpose of making final plans for the building. He said it was to be a sort of an up-town Cooper Union.

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GUILTY.

GAME WARDEN SLEW INDIAN.

Jury Brings in Verdict of Manslaughter.

Redman Shot While Fishing Unlawfully.

Public Holds Official Was Too Hasty.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RED BLUFF, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] D. M. Bond, deputy game warden, is guilty of manslaughter. The jury brought in a verdict at 10 o'clock today, after being out for twenty-six hours.

It was charged Bond and Deputy Game Warden M. A. Carpenter of Redding, killed an Indian, Robert Junior, on Battle Creek, August 20, 1908, as they were arresting him for unlawful fishing. This was the second trial of Bond. The first trial resulted in a hung jury.

Bond was released a week ago on $10,000 bail. The verdict having been returned, Judge Ellison ordered him into the custody of the Sheriff.

The people of Tehama county are inclined to believe that the game wardens were too hasty in shooting the old Indian.

ONE ROAD TO HEART AND SOUL.

Pastor Tries Effect of Having Parishioners Bring Their Lunches With Them to Meeting.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

COLUMBIA (Mo.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Can a hungry man get religion? How close is religion to a full stomach? These are the questions that the Rev. Dr. Charles M. Bishop is trying to answer by experimenting with his congregation at the First Methodist Church in this place. Dr. Bishop has inaugurated a series of prayer meetings with dinners attached.

All the congregation is requested to bring lunches once a week, and spend an evening in feasting, visiting and praying. The idea is to get the members interested in the revival meeting that the Rev. Charles W. Hawkins of St. Louis, will begin here February 14.

Dr. Bishop hopes to have the members in a proper spiritual condition by that time.

LOCAL TRAVELERS.

Los Angeles People Who Are Registered at Hotels in Other Cities.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at New York hotels: Wellington, S. S. Spier, Mrs. S. S. Spier; Broadway Central, S. Phillips; Park Avenue, M. A. Chappelle, Pasadena.

IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at Chicago hotels: Auditorium Annex, L. H. Norton, William J. Gorham, Miss P. Whitney, W. P. Dunham, Florence G. Moore; Auditorium, M. A. Milbach, R. E. Barry; Stratford, A. H. Voight, A. T. Lewis, Otho C. Duryea; Great Northern, B. W. McCausland; Majestic, R. K. Tabor; Brevoort, C. W. Darby.

IN SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at the St. Francis: W. W. Beckett, Charlotte B. Heaps, Lee A. Phillips, William Langley, E. S. Tomblin, J. Jepsen.

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WASHINGTON.

LIN[illegible]OLONS BUSY F WITH FUTURE.

Wan[illegible]any Changes Expected in Coming Congress.

Puni[illegible]hairmanship of Committees Topic of Gossip.

Roa[illegible]ich Plums Waiting to Be Gathered in.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CH[illegible] WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—With the patch[illegible] convening of a new Congress scarcely eral[illegible] more than a month distant, the se- Rout[illegible] lection of standing committees of the for a[illegible] next house and particularly the award be fo[illegible] of chairmanships has become the sub- loose[illegible] ject of keen speculation. railw[illegible] The understanding among members mitte[illegible] that the rule of seniority will be that[illegible] sed in the selection of a chairman. Polit[illegible] there were some exceptions. There by one, however, important committees, the those chairmen will not be members now[illegible] the next house, and the selection of from[illegible] their successors is causing no little is no[illegible] speculation. pays[illegible] Among these committees are those Nav[illegible] the Judiciary, of which Mr. Jen- char[illegible]ns of Wisconsin is chairman; In- sider[illegible]erstate and Foreign Commerce, of tion, which Col. Hepburn of Iowa is chair- una[illegible]an; Rivers and Harbors, Senator- tran[illegible]elect Burton, chairman, and Postoffices decl[illegible]and Post Roads, Mr. Overstreet of In- ed.[illegible]iana, chairman.

These are four of the more important guil[illegible]committees of the House, and the whil[illegible]chairmanship of each is highly prized. al[illegible] Representative Alexander of Buffalo, The[illegible] N. Y., will be the ranking member of cide[illegible] the Committee on Rivers and Harbors trac[illegible] after Mr. Burton takes his seat in the that[illegible] Senate. they[illegible] With the renewed agitation in the Mi[illegible]Middle West for waterway improve- upo[illegible]ment, there has sprung up a keen de- cide[illegible]sire to keep the chairmanship of the trac[illegible] Rivers and Harbors Committee in that be[illegible]territory and the western members want[illegible] Representative James H. David- ratt[illegible]son of Wisconsin. equ[illegible]

Unless Col. Hepburn of Iowa de- in[illegible]cides to contest for his seat in the the[illegible] House, and the chairmanship of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign commerce is left vacant on that ac- N[illegible]count, there will be a big problem to an[illegible] be solved in that committee. The ere[illegible] ranking member below Mr. Hepburn du[illegible] is James S. Sherman, Vice-President- ter[illegible] elect. Next comes Mr. Wanger of be[illegible] Pennsylvania, and Mr. Mann of Illi- A[illegible] nois, respectively. the[illegible]

It is generally conceded that Repre- sentative Perkins of New York will succeed Mr. Cousins of Iowa, as chair- man of the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

FIGHTING TYPHOID.

TO VACCINATE SOLDIERS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—An at- tempt to secure immunity against ty- phoid in army camps by vaccination is to be undertaken by the military authorities.

The whole matter is to be put before the army, and individuals will be in- vited to volunteer for vaccination.

No soldier or officer will be compelled to submit to anti-typhoid vaccination, but an effort will be made by lectures and examples to show the soldier the advantage of availing himself of such a simple way of escaping one of the worst and most dreaded of army camp diseases.

Included in the physicians board making the recommendation were Drs. Victor C. Vaughan of Ann Arbor, William F. Councilman of Boston, John H. Musser of Philadelphia, Alex- ander Lambert of New York, Simon Flexner of New York, and William S. Thayer of Boston.

A summary of the board's conclu- sions made public today, points out the well-known fact that during both the Civil and the Spanish-American wars typhoid fever prevailed to a great extent among the troops.

In the last few years 1500 men have been treated this way with excellent results.

BAN ON JOY RIDING.

SECRETARY WRIGHT SITS UP

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Some time ago Secretary Wright took notice of the fact that army automobiles were almost as common on the streets of Washington as the taxicabs. He also made note of the fact that the machines of the quartermaster's departments seemed to be hauling around ladies dressed for afternoon teas or calls.

Not a thing about the machines and their occupants suggested to him that they were being used in the conduct of public business. He made some in- quiries, and came to the conclusion that the public was being made to pay for the transportation of army officers, their families and their friends, under the pretense of public business. As a consequence all the army automobiles, other than the one used by the army doctor, will be either sold or sent to points where they will be of more use.

Just how many machines there are is uncertain because the quartermas- ter-general is not the only officer whose department has been ordering automo- biles for the better transaction of pub- lic business.

Congress two years ago passed a bill requiring vehicles owned by the gov- ernment to be marked with the name of the department to which they be- longed. Congress had an idea that the wives of officials would not go calling in vehicles so marked, but they do.

RUSHING WORK.

CONSERVATION CONFERENCE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Now that the Canadian and Mexican govern- ments have both formally accepted President Roosevelt's invitation to send delegates to a North American con- servation conference here, the final ar- rangements are being rapidly put into shape.

The conference will be held at the State Department, February 18. Cana- da and Mexico will each send three delegates. The only others present will be the members of the National Conservation Commission, representa- tives of the State Department, and of one or two other executive depart- ments.

PRAISE FOR DEAD.

HOUSE CONVENES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The House of Representatives convened in regular session to hear eulogies on the life, character and public services of the late Representative Llewellyn Powers of the Fourth Maine Congress dis- trict, who died on June 23. Among those speaking were Representatives Gurnsey of Maine, who succeeded Mr. Powers, and Hayes of California.

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Abraham Erlanger Understood to Have Closed With Karpen Brothers of Chicago for Purchase of Prop- erty Worth Million and Half—To Tear Down Sherman House.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dis- patch.] Two great hotel projects were announced today. The first re- port affects the new Michigan-avenue hotel and theater under consideration of Abraham Erlanger of New York, and indicates that if present negotia- tions are successful the building will occupy the S. Karpen and Bros. prop- erty as well as the Stratford Hotel site. The negotiations to get this ad- ditional ground now have been in progress, it is understood, for several weeks.

The other announcement contained the definite information that the Sher- man House will be torn down and work on a $2,000,000 structure started within a week after the next New Year's Day.

The first report, which emanated from one closely associated with Mr. Erlanger, found apparent confirmation in the admission by one of the mem- bers of the S. Karpen & Bros. firm that the details of the transaction are being perfected.

What the Karpens are to receive for the property is not known, but it is said to be in excess of $1,500,000, and will yield them a handsome return on the price they paid.

As an indication of how far along the deal has gone, it is said the Kar- pens practically have arranged for another location farther south in Michigan avenue in the way of a long term lease of ground belonging to the Otto Young estate in the block be- tween Hubbard and Peck courts.

It is reported they are to pay a yearly ground rent of $45,000, and plan to erect one of the finest buildings for the display of furniture in the country. This is the ground on which Mr. Young planned to erect a hotel which should stand as a monument to him, but his death caused the abandonment of the project.

It is declared by those familiar with the history of the Erlanger hotel and theater project that the use of the Stratford and Karpen properties is only carrying out plans which were decided upon in the fall of 1907. How- ever that may be, Mr. Erlanger seems to be largely interested in the present deal which is said to promise a suc- cessful conclusion. If that proves so, it is declared the building to be erect- ed will be a magnificent structure and in appearance, equipment, conven- iences and elegance of interior finish and furnishings will have few equals in the world.

RUNS NUDE THROUGH SNOW.

Stranger Disrobes in Blizzard and Is Tracked to Field Where Frozen to Death.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOWER HILL (Ill.) Jan. 31.—[Ex- clusive Dispatch.] During the blizzard last night a stranger walked through Tower Hill. When near the east side he removed every article of his cloth- ing, and ran stark naked for over two miles through the snow.

Searching parties trailed him by his footprints and blood from wounds he received by climbing through wire fences to a pasture field, where he was found frozen to death.

His age was about 25; height 5 feet 8 inches; hair, heavy; build, slender; suit of clothes, discarded, light gray; a gray sweater and gray woolen shirt. His body has not been identified.

NEW LIQUOR LAW.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Repre- sentative Langley of Kentucky will introduce on Monday the Interstate Liquor Shipment Bill, prepared by the Anti-Saloon League of America, to obviate the objection of unconstitu- tionality urged against the Littlefield bill.

The objection to the Littlefield bill was that it made interstate shipments of liquor subject to State laws imme- diately upon crossing the boundary. This was claimed by its opponents to be an attempted delegation of Con- gressional power and therefore uncon- stitutional.

The new measure provides for direct exercise of Congressional power by itself prohibiting the shipment or transportation of liquor to any State, Territory or district of the United States, or part of the same, where such shipment could not legally be made within the same.

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THE LEGISLATURE.

(Continued From First Page.)

and commercial purposes, it is not competent for the Legislature of California to change in any way the provisions of the treaty or to impose any limitations inconsistent there- with. To the extent of owning or hir- ing land for agricultural purposes, so far as Japan is concerned, it is clearly competent for the State of California to enact its own laws, and it is grati- fying to observe that it is the purpose of this bill to make those laws gen- eral as to aliens.

"'Assembly bill 78, entitled An Act to Regulate Ownership or Possession of Lands by Aliens. The observations which I have made regarding Assem- bly bill 71, apply in substance to this act. As bearing upon both acts, I transmit herewith a copy of tele- graphic correspondence had between the Governor of California and my- self, consisting of a telegram from the Governor dated Saturday last, and my reply this morning. In my reply you will perceive that I suggest the insertion of a clause in any legisla- tion regarding the holding of lands by aliens which will save their treaty rights, and that I also refer to some of the decisions of the Supreme Court on the subject.

TROUBLE BREEDER.

"'Assembly bill 14, entitled An Act to Amend 1662 of the Political Code. This bill aims to reproduce in the form which created so much natural resentment on the part of Japan two years ago the specific discrimination against Japanese in the schools. It was by securing the abandonment of this discrimination on the part of the San Francisco school board that the national government was enabled to bring about the informal agree- ment or arrangement with Japan un- der which the two countries are now harmoniously and successfully pre- venting the coming of Japanese la- borers to this country.

"The essential feature of this ar- rangement is the adoption by Japan of a series of strict and effective reg- ulations determined upon after full consultation and discussion with the government of the United States, pre- venting the issue of passports for the United States to Japanese laborers.

"At the same time the President, in the exercise of power especially conferred upon him by Congress as part of the arrangement, prevents the indirect immigration of Japanese who do not carry passports for the United States from the Japanese government.

BILL KILLS HARMONY.

"If this bill were to be passed that arrangement with the Japanese gov- ernment would necessarily come to an immediate end. The people of the State of California have to consider not the question whether they will have the present arrangement through which Japanese are now being excluded plus such legislation as this, but whether they will substitute this legislation for the exclusion of Japanese laborers.

"I can see no doubt that what the people of California would sacrifice by the enactment of this act would, considering their own interests alone, be of far greater value and importance than the legislation itself. The exclu- sion of Asiatic laborers through the cooperation of their own government, has, in the case of China, proved to be far more successful and satisfactory than would the exclusion without the aid of the government by the simple enforcement of a statuae on this side of the Pacific. The same would inevi- tably be the case with Japan. No ex- clusion act passed by Congress would be so efficient as the present arrange- ment, and it would be accompanied inevitably by ill feeling and resent- ment, the consequence of which would be of the most serious character.

"I may observe that the experience of the San Francisco school board that there is no occasion whatever for any such legislation for the regulation which they adopted as a substitute for the discriminating regulation as I am informed by them, proved en- tirely satisfactory and effective to ac- complish all that they wished to ac- complish by the discriminatory regu- lation.

"Viewing in a larger aspect the re- lations of California to the rest of the Union, it is difficult to find words strong enough to characterize the vio- lation of patriotic duty which would be involved in a causeless and object- less enactment constituting a serious affront to a friendly nation and cer- tain to plunge the entire Union into the doubtful conditions of enmity to a great and hitherto most friendly power which is our neighbor upon the Pa- cific.

[Signed.] 'ELIHU ROOT.'

PRESIDENT WRITES.

"To this memorandum I have but lit- tle to add. The United States govern- ment has no objection to the enact- ment of a law in California as re- gards the rights of aliens to hold real estate, provided that the suggestions of the Secretary of State are complied with as contained in the above memo- randum. Such a law would not be in any substantial respect different from similar laws that have been passed in other States.

"Many foreign countries, including Japan itself, have similar laws.

"But for the reasons set forth in Mr. Root's memorandum, the Federal gov- ernment would most emphatically ob- ject to the passage of the proposed school legislation, and would also ob- ject to legislation such as the newspa- pers describe as having been proposed to force the Japanese to live in sepa- rate residential quarters.

"I most earnestly trust that for the reasons set forth in Mr. Root's memo- randum, and for the reasons set forth in my previous telegrams and letters, none of the objectionable proposed leg- islation will be enacted into law.

"With high appreciation of your courtesy, believe me,

"Sincerely yours,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

"Hon. J. N. Gillett, Governor of Cal- ifornia, Sacramento, Cal."

AFTER JOY RIDERS.

AUTOMOBILE BILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Assemblyman Reich of Los Angeles has drafted a bill that is sure to strike terror to the hearts of such owners and employés of automobile garages as do not deal fairly with their patrons. It provides fine and im- prisonment, or both for unscrupulous persons who make wrongful use of valuable machines intrusted to their care. The bill will be introduced to- morrow.

Many cases have come to light in which autos left at garages for repair or storage have been rented without the owners consent, the proprietor of the garages, or his agent, reaping a neat profit thereby. Parts of autos, it is said, are taken for use on other machines, and even the gasoline is taken from the tanks. There have been numerous instances in Los An- geles where unprincipled chauffeurs have taken from garages machines left for repairs, and have profited by renting them to the public, or have entertained "lady" and other friends on rides. In some cases drunken chauf- feurs have wrecked the machines.

Reich's bill adds a new section to the Penal Code, "relating to the taken, biring, running, driving, or using of an automobile, or taking or removing therefrom any part thereof by the owner or manager of an automobile, garage, his agent, or employé, or any other person, without consent of the owner of the automobile."

Penalty for violation of the act is fixed at a fine of not more than $1000, or imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than one year, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Assemblyman Hammon has intro- duced a bill that also is of interest to autoists. It is aimed at chauffeurs who conduct their employers in the pur- chase of supplies. Many owners of automobiles are ignorant of the work- ings or needs of their machines. They hire men upon whom they think they can depend and repose in them the ut- most confidence for faithful perform- ance of duty, giving them carte blanche in the purchase of supplies, and in the making of repairs. In- stances are known where chauffeurs have deliberately ruined tires or other parts of machines in order that they might buy new parts, and get the heavy commission from supply houses.

Hammon's bill makes it a misde- meanor for any agent or employé to receive a commission or other gratuity. In the operation of the proposed law it is hoped to break up the chauffeurs' graft, and to protect automobile own- ers from this sort of hold-up.

MISUNDERSTOOD.

IS AQUEDUCT BILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Grave danger confronts the bill of Assemblyman Transue, through which it is proposed to bar all sa- loons within a radius of four miles from camps of men engaged in con- structing the Los Angeles Aqueduct. Northern members of the Legislature are of the mistaken notion that some of their cherished liquor joints even in incorporated cities, will be affected by the measure, and they have not yet come around to a clear understanding of the situation. Transue and all the Los Angeles delegation are busy, however, and it is hoped to get the bill with only slight amendments.

BETWEEN TWO FIRES.

ASK LOCAL OPTION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dr. Ervin S. Chapman of Los Angeles, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, came in today to carry on the fight for the local option bill introduced by Assemblyman Wyllie of Tulare. He will appear before a joint meeting of Senate and Assembly Committees on Public Morals Tues- day night to urge a favorable re- port on the bill.

Dr. Chapman is between two fires. On one side are the extreme Prohibi- tionists who would daily not at all with the liquor question, and on the other side are the saloon men, es- pecially those of the northern part of the State, who look upon the local op- tion measure as an intrusion upon their rights.

The local option law, which would apply throughout the State is a little different from the practice now in vogue in Los Angeles county, and promises to be one of the live issues of the present situation.

FALL ON WILLIS.

HIS BILL STARTS FIGHT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] County divisionists through- out the State have risen in arms against the bill of Senator Willis of Redlands, which would make the dis- memberment of counties more difficult than at present under the Broughton act. Tomorrow a large delegation is expected from Pomona, to appear in the evening at a joint meeting of the Senate and Assembly Committees on County Government. Santa Maria, which wants to cut itself off from Santa Barbara, has sent delegates here to oppose the bill, and other counties are to be heard from.

"Steve" Kelly and W. M. Wagner of San Bernardino are here to support the Willis bill, and several Los An- geles legislators will take the same stand.

The Willis bill provides that a ma- jority of the voters of a county or counties shall say whether or not there shall be division, a provision that is almost fatal from the start to any such proposition. Wherefore it is not strange that Pomona, Santa Maria and other pro-divisionsts are against the bill of Willis.

BIG BILLS UP.

ANTI-GAMBLING AND JAP.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—If the plans of the organization are carried out without a hitch, the anti-race- track gambling and the several anti- Japanese bills will have been dis- posed of in the Legislature by the end of this week.

George S. Walker of East San José, one of the sponsors for the Hughes law against turf gambling, and who introduced it in the Senate, announced today that when the bill came up for second reading tomorrow he would ask that it be made a special order of busi- ness for Tuesday, when, if there is to be any fight against the measure on the floor of the Senate, the matter will be threshed out.

Senator Walker's opinion is that not more than five members will vote against the bill if its foes decided to make no contest, and not more than ten will oppose it, even if a stand is made by the race-track Senators.

Weed, Wolf and Leavitt were the three who voted in the Committee on Public Morals against the bill, and Hartman announced publicly that he would vote against it, though it meant the sounding of his political death knell.

This disposes of four of the five mentioned by Walker, and he declines at this time to name the other.

A. M. Drew's anti-alien land bill, as amended by him to conform to the wishes of President Roosevelt, and which was referred to the Assembly Committee on Judiciary, will be fa- vorably reported by Chairman Grove L. Johnson, and action may be taken on it on Tuesday, for which time it probably will be made a special order of business. This bill is almost an exact duplicate of the Oklahoma law. It does not specify that aliens must become citizens of the United States in order to retain land or to purchase land. It was because of the fact that Mongolians are the only aliens barred from citizenship that the President objected to Mr. Drew's first bill as being discriminatory against Japanese and Chinese. In per- mitting all other aliens to hold land by the process of taking out citizen- ship papers.

Gov. Gillett is not in favor of the enactment of any law whatsoever along these lines.

The bills introduced by Grove L. Johnson early in the session to pro- hibit aliens from being members of boards of directors and segregating Japanese in the public schools, and segregating all undesirable aliens in residential districts, will be taken up as special business on Wednesday.

A feature of the fight expected to develop in the consideration of these measures will be the determined stand for the bills taken by a majority of the members of the San Francisco de- legation, and those members in whose districts are large numbers of Jap- anese.

Other measures to be threshed out in committee, and on the floors of the two branches, are those relating to the Islais Creek project, and railroad rate regulation.

JUDGE BUSY.

PUSHES JUVENILE BILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Judge F. F. Oster of San Bernardino has come to Sacramento in the interest of the juvenile court bill under consideration by the Senate Ju- diciary Committee. He will assist in redrafting the measure, and in incor- porating a number of additions that have been proposed, principally in the manner of selecting probation officers in the various counties. He is in favor of a plan whereby judges in some counties will appoint on recommenda- tion of local probation committees while in other counties the court will act without recommendation. This will meet about the only objection that has been made to the measure.

FIGHTING BILL.

BANKERS ARE AROUSED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Assemblyman Melrose's bill affecting trust deeds has stirred the opposition of savings bank and build- ing and loan directors throughout the State, and several of the objectors will have a hearing tomorrow when the matter comes up for consideration in the judiciary committee. It is the aim of the bill to place trust deeds in a class similar to that of mortgages, and to prevent the summary sale of property held under trust deeds, with- out notice to the owner and without any provision for redemption.

The plea is made by opponents of the measure that their interests are served best under the present conditions sur- rounding trust deeds, as it is much easier to dispose of property and to realize on loans under these deeds than under mortgages where a year is al- lowed for the redemption of property.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

SAIGON (French Cochin China) Jan. 31.—M. Bonheure, Lieutenant-Gover- nor of Cochin China, was found dead in bed today, having died from a bul- let wound in the head. The autopsy indicated suicide. He had suffered from neurasthenia.

DANGEROUS GANG FOILED.

CRIMES CONFESSED BY MESSENGER BOY.

IN the arrest of four messenger boys the police think they have put an end to the operations of a dangerous gang of burglars.

Phil Buetter, alias "Dutch," the last member of the quartette to find quar- ters in a cell, was apprehended on Sat- urday. He was charged with two bur- glaries at the Hotel Astoria, but firm- ly denied all knowledge of either af- fair until late yesterday afternoon, when, frightened by thorough "sweat- ing," he admitted that he is guilty.

He also said that he had hidden some booty under a pier at Long Beach. The police of that city were communi- cated with an officer and detailed to make a search. He dug in the spot designated by Buetter and unearthed a Colt's revolver of ancient pattern and a mask, but nothing else.

Buetter's crimes, according to the po- lice, have been numerous, for he and his gang have operated not only in Los Angeles, but also in other cities. No estimate of the amount of their plunder can yet be made, but detec- tives are hoping that some member of the quartette will yet be induced to tell the whole story.

Buetter said, yesterday, that he went to the Hotel Astoria on January 29, and entered a room occupied by Dr. Daniel Sniff. Finding a suit case at hand, he packed into it two overcoats valued at $40 each; a silver toilet set, a pair of shoes and several small ar- ticles.

Then he entered G. E. Agenbroad's room. Mr. Agenbroad, who was asleep at the time, was awakened but thinking the intruder was his room mate, remarked, "Turn out the lights and come to bed," and then turned over and went to sleep again. The thief turned out the light and went away, but first appropriated a safety razor and a valuable pair of sleeve buttons. All the property taken from the ho- tel has been recovered.

The other messenger boys in custody are R. W. Morrison, who is charged with having robbed the home of Byron Beasley; Claud Alford, alias "Tuffy," who at present is charged only with violating the parole under which he was placed for vagrancy, and "Red" Barnes, alias Cullen, who was appre- hended at Long Beach on suspicion that he and his pals were about to rob a drug store.

Barnes had a gun and a mask in his pocket and frankly admitted his crim- inal intentions. He was taken to the County Jail, where he confessed that he had burglarized the room of Dave Clellens at Venice. When first ar- rested he gave the name of Thomas Durnell.

Claud Alford will be taken before Justice Rose today to show cause why he should not be committed to serve a suspended sentence for vagrancy.

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STILL WARMER.

MAYOR STRIKES HARD AT HIS OPPONENTS.

Harper Issues Another Statement Making Attack on Some of the Leaguers—Gives Facts as to Business Enterprises and Case of Kern.

MAYOR HARPER last night fired the second of his broadsides at his opponents. It was heavy-shotted and sizzling. It was as personal and direct as the literature circulated against him.

Following is the statement of the Mayor as furnished to the newspapers last evening:

Thomas E. Gibbon has collated and set forth in the Herald of January 25, 1909, a statement of the alleged facts upon which, in glaring red head lines, he sounds the charge for the Recall election in these words: "Citizens, your homes and your pocketbooks are in grave danger," and reiterates, ad nauseam, the question so frequently of late printed in the Evening Express, "Is Vice Protected in Los Angeles?" and conveying to the reader the inference, as a matter of course, that I have consciously and knowingly both directly and indirectly, "protected vice" and that while Mayor I have been in the very midst of what C. D. Willard of the Municipal League denominates the "borderland" of graft.

ORIGIN OF RECALL GAME.

I repeat that the recall movement has been engineered by E. T. Earl, proprietor of the Evening Express, to improperly excite public opinion against me and thereby, if possible, to avoid being assessed in heavy damages in the libel suits filed against him, some of which will be tried in March next. T. E. Gibbon, hypocritically assuming a virtuous indignation, is assisting Mr. Earl by filling the columns of the Herald with falsehoods concerning me, but so interspersing them with half-truths as to my stock holdings that some non-discerning readers may be left under the impression that some of the published charges may be true, unless the real facts are publicly stated by me.

I cannot say whether T. E. Gibbon's efforts in this direction are solely due to his bitter personal animosity engendered against me by my refusal to appoint at his suggestion Mr. Anderson, or whether he is spurred on by what public rumor claims to be a fact, that E. T. Earl has advanced a large sum of money to bolster up the Herald's finances which are reported chronically crippled.

STRIKES HARD.

I believe that my career, covering a period of forty years in Los Angeles, will justify me in assuming that so far as my fellow citizens are concerned my word will at least be as credible as that of my chief detractors, Messrs. Earl, Gibbon and their employés.

The despoiled fruit growers of California have long since taken the measure of Edwin T. Earl who is now known to fame as the "Rebater," and as long as T. E. Gibbon was able to remain on the pay roll of a railroad or any other corporation such corporations were in his opinion at the time all right; but now, alas! he is no longer drawing salaries from such corporations as formerly, and perforce, these corporations are all wrong.

STRONG DENIAL.

I deny with all the vehemence of my soul, the foul charges of "protecting vice" or of "borderland" or other grafting. I was raised in a Christian home, my aged father and mother, my wife, my five children are each and all dearer to me, by far, than all else in this world.

It is true that no scoundrel has as yet risen up to charge me with direct grafting or with improperly receiving anything of value in connection with the discharge of my official duties; but pharisaical hypocrites have been daily attempting to besmirch my good character, and contributing as best they can to the making up for me of a reputation that must be abhorrent to even the merest apology of a man in whom still remains the slightest spark of manhood.

Now for the further consideration, as far as time and space will permit of some of the charges.

AS TO THE SUGAR STOCK.

First—In Sunday's Times and Examiner I referred to the holding of certain shares of stock in the sugar company that has built plants at Visalia and Corcoran, which aggregate the value of $1,500,000, and which shares are owned by six persons or firms engaged in the liquor business in Los Angeles.

Out of 35,000 shares these six persons or firms own altogether 1619 shares and no more. I never solicited directly or indirectly any one of these persons or firms to purchase a single share of such stock. They purchased it in due course of business and not one of them has been favored so far as law enforcement is concerned.

Again I positively assert that for the past year and a half not one share of such sugar stock has been acquired by any liquor dealer. The fact is that as soon as the management learned that these few liquor dealers had acquired such stock, the policy was at once formulated not to permit thereafter the sale of any sugar stock to any person engaged in the liquor business. And this policy of a year and a half standing has been rigidly adhered to.

In the article alluded to I called attention to the fact that there are about 380 persons or firms (inclusive of employés) engaged in the liquor business in Los Angeles and out of these 380 there are only six interested in the sugar company. Aside from my own word in the matter, it must be obvious to the unprejudiced citizen that I did not use the power of my office to secure the sale of sugar stock to liquor dealers; for if I had, I am certain a large percentage of the names of the 380 liquor dealers of Los Angeles would have appeared on the stockholders' list of said sugar corporation, which now comprises 106 names, six of whom are in the liquor business.

Only the bias and malevolence of my detractors prevents them from taking a sane and honest view of this matter.

And, by the way, to show the vindictiveness of T. E. Gibbon and the Herald I call the public's attention to the fact that a typewritten copy of my article published in the Examiner and The Times, Sunday morning, January 31, 1909, was also furnished to the Herald on Saturday evening, but it was refused publication. Talk about fair play! There is no such sentiment actuating either the present management of the Herald or said Gibbon, so far as I am concerned. And I hereby challenge the Express to publish in full this and Sunday morning's statement.

PACKING COMPANY STOCK.

I earnestly invite the attention of the public to the following facts, which will constitute a complete refutation of the charges made in the Herald and Express and by the Municipal League that my official position has been used unlawfully or in any way, shape or manner in the interest of the Southwestern Packing Company.

Louis Sentous, an old resident of the county of Los Angeles, established a packing-house between the city of Los Angeles and Santa Monica about thirty years ago. Over five years ago he enlarged this packing-house and did business under the name of the Sentous Packing Company. Five years ago next August I and a few reputable men bought the controlling interest of the Sentous Packing Company. At that time I was not in politics. I then had no notion of becoming Mayor of this great metropolis. No consideration of a future political career entered into my mind when I and my associates invested in this business enterprise. The business people of this city knew me at that time from boyhood and no one had undertaken to cast any shain upon my business integrity or upon my personal honor or social standing. There was no occasion then to slander me. If I had know then that the future would have been used to bring shame upon my name because of my connection with this business enterprise I might have hesitated and perhaps would not have entered into this association with the Southwestern Packing Company.

Before I became Mayor we continued the business of butchering and packing and of disposing of our products all over Southern California wherever we could find a market. No one found fault with us. It was considered a lawful business. It was a business which was carried on in a legitimate manner. It had no alliance with the liquor business of this city, and the business of this institution did not conflict with the business of the gentlemen composing the Municipal League. The Municipal League found no fault with the business of this packing company. If it was lawful then, if it was a legitimate enterprise then, what has happened during these last five years to cause the public to assume that this business has become an unlawful and illegal enterprise? Was the fact that I was taken from my private business avocation and elected to the office of Mayor that changed the character of this business to that of an infamous, fraudulent or unlawful enterprise?

Subsequently we bought out the interests of Mr. Sentous, enlarged the business and changed its name to the Southwestern Packing Company. This occurred before I became Mayor of the city. In order to build a distributing house and establishing a headquarters for the business in the city of Los Angeles we placed on sale a block of stock, and a broker disposed of this stock among reputable citizens of this city. At that time I was cashier of the State Bank and Trust Company, and one of the directors of the packing company. We enlarged our packing-house and built a house to accommodate the distributing headquarters of the company on San Fernando street, in this city, and continued to do business in the same manner that we did before my election to the Mayor's office.

After I was elected Mayor of the city we discontinued selling our products by retail and confined our business entirely to selling by wholesale to the butchers of Southern California.

Since that time no café, restaurant, saloon or any other business establishment within the city ever bought goods from us except the butchers of Southern California. The company has a capital of $500,000 of the par value of $1 per share. It employs a large number of men, and does approximately $750,000 of business annually.

PARKER NOT IN IT.

It is charged that Walter F. Parker owns stock in the corporation. Walter F. Parker does not own any stock in the corporation, and has not owned any for a long time past. He was not a stockholder when Ed Kern was appointed as a member of the Board of Public Works.

BANKERS HIT AGAIN.

My detractors have laid special stress upon the proposition that Peter J. Wilson, S. T. Eldridge and C. E. Patterson own stock in the corporation, and that they were the solid three of the Board of Supervisors. If they find any comfort in this proposition, I might say that this "Solid Three" not long ago seemed to be good enough in the estimation of some of the bankers composing the Municipal League, their friends and advisors, and now actively engaged in the "recall" movement, to deal with, in the attempted purchase by private sale of the good roads bonds. Did any of these gentlemen rise up and indignantly repudiate the so-called "Solid Three" when they were awarded said road bonds? But now they say that because said Wilson, Eldridge and Patterson own stock in a legitimate business in which I am interested that, therefore, I am an unfit and improper person to hold the office of Mayor of this great city. I never sold the packing stock to any of them; they did not sell any to me.

THE ANDERSON CASE.

Mr. James A. Anderson was a member of the Board of Public Works before I became Mayor of the city of Los Angeles, and during a portion of the time since I came into office. He is supposed to have absolute knowledge concerning all transactions had with reference to the distribution of moneys in the purchase of supplies for the work of completing the great aqueduct. Mr. Anderson will not say to the Municipal League and to my detractors that the Southwestern Packing Company at any time or place or under any circumstances ever sold an ounce or any other quantity of the products of said company to the aqueduct or for the city use. No one holding a contract from the Board of Public Works or the Aqueduct Commission to my knowledge ever bought any products of the Southwestern Packing Company. If I had wanted to use my office for the purpose of promoting the interests of the Southwestern Packing Company I might have been able to induce the Board of Public Works or the contractors connected with the work to purchase supplies from this company. But I did not.

It is said that these stockholders of the Southwestern Packing Company were responsible for the appointment of Mr. Kern to the Board of Public Works. Such is the accusation of T. E. Gibbon in the Herald of January 25, 1909. I have given the names of these stockholders. If any of them ever spoke to me upon the subject of the appointment of Mr. Kern or tried to influence me in any way, shape or manner let the gentlemen come forward and speak. I assert they did not. How did Mr. Gibbon know or how could he have known that these parties influenced me in my official duties? On the very face of it the charge is so false, it is so childish, and it is so shallow that the intelligent people of the city of Los Angeles will brand it as a malicious and contemptible falsehood, as I now do.

Some of the gentlemen composing the Municipal League have been especially vindictive towards me. In due course of time I desire to ask them through the public press about some matters concerning their own public careers. Beginning with Mr. W. J. Washburn, I will ask these gentlemen a few questions pertinent to the discussion which is now before the public.

MR. WASHBURN QUESTIONED.

Mr. W. J. Washburn, you are a member of the Executive Committee of the Municipal League. You advocate my recall and signed the recall petition. You say I mix business with politics, sold sugar stock, oil stock and packing stock to people having favors to ask of my administration. Mr. Washburn, for a number of years you were a member of the school board, in fact, president of the school board, and chairman of the Teachers' Committee. During these years the business of your bank increased very considerably. Did you sell any bank stock to school teachers? Did you accept any deposits of school teachers in your bank, school teachers who depended upon you for official favors? Stand up, Mr. Washburn, tell the truth, did you do this? Also, Mr. Washburn, while a member of the school board and very close to the city administration, did you not sell the Highland Park Water System to the city at a pretty good figure, in fact, several times what you paid for it?

ADDRESSED TO ANDERSON.

Mr. J. A. Anderson, you are a member of the Executive Committee of the Municipal League. You are running around in circles, you are so anxious to recall me. You wanted me to reappoint you on the board of public works. You liked that job. It paid $300 a month. I did not reappoint you, notwithstanding the threats of E. T. Earl or pleadings of your friends. In your place I appointed Gen. Adna R. Chaffee, a lieutenant-general (retired) of the United States Army, an engineer by education and life-long experience; a builder of roads and public works throughout a lifetime in the public service; a man of international reputation; whose great ability in his profession is a matter of world-wide knowledge. Of course, your friends claim I made a mistake in appointing Gen. Chaffee. You and your friends of the Municipal League still think I should have appointed you. Like others, you have a sure-enough grievance against me, so I forgive you for signing the recall. I find no fault with your brothers who are acting as attorneys for Mr. Earl in the matter of my libel suits which I have brought against the Express. I shall later discuss the oil stock and other matters.

Respectfully,

A. C. HARPER.

RIGHT THROUGH.

TO SAN PEDRO FROM SEATTLE.

ALSO TO NORTHERN CITIES AT REDUCED RATES.

Steamer Due at Ocean Gateway to Los Angeles Today on First Through Trip and Travelers Can Make Journey Without Change. Other Companies Won't Follow Suit.

Local steamship agents assert that the announcement of a cut in freight rates on through service from San Pedro to Puget Sound points, just made by the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, will have no effect on other companies operating from Southern California ports.

It is stated that there is no competition on the long water route and there can be none until the Alaska-Pacific line puts into execution its plan to run one of its boats from Seattle to San Pedro, with stops at San Francisco and other way points.

The Northern Pacific Steamship Company operates the Roanoke and George W. Elder between San Pedro and Portland. To successfully compete with the Pacific Coast Steamship Company for its Seattle business, the former company would be obliged to secure a low rate by rail from Portland to Seattle and Tacoma.

The West Coast Steamship Line now runs a number of boats between San Pedro and San Francisco and northern points, but as far as known, it will not make any reduction on its present rates, which are considerably below those taxed by the Pacific Coast line.

The Pacific Coast Steamship Company will reduce all class rates between this city, Tacoma and Seattle and also reduce many of its commodity rates. The complete tariff will be received at the local office some time this week.

The City of Puebla is due at San Pedro today, on her first southbound voyage from Seattle. She will sail from here to San Diego and also stop on her northbound trip. Freight can be shipped from here direct to Seattle, thus saving reshipment at San Francisco. Passengers can now purchase through tickets to the Puget Sound cities and remain on the boats until the final landing, if they choose.

The company has apparently stolen a march on the Alaska-Pacific line which operates two steamers between Seattle and San Francisco. It recently purchased the Admiral Sampson and announced that it would be put on a through run from Southern California ports to Puget Sound.

It will not be ready for its southern service for several weeks, and in the meantime the Pacific Coast Steamship Company will be busy securing shipments for the north and making contracts with local jobbers.

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READY FOR DELIVERY.

Alhambra, Shorb and Dolgeville Residents Will Get Free Mail Today, If Any.

Beginning today, the Los Angeles postoffice will extend its free delivery service to Alhambra, Shorb and Dolgeville, whose postoffices will hereafter be stations of the main office here. The extension was granted after a careful investigation by inspectors, and a recommendation from Postmaster Flint. At first about five extra carriers will be employed on the new routes. It is expected that the system will be in smooth running order within a few days, but it will naturally take the carriers some time to learn the routes.

About a year ago free delivery was granted to Hollywood, Colegrove, South Pasadena and the territory lying northwest of the city limits. The extensions in those sections have proved so acceptable to the residents, that other suburban towns have clamored for a similar service.

Glendale and Tropico will probably be included shortly in the local delivery, and within the next few years it is believed that the Los Angeles office will cover all outlying territory between Pasadena and Long Beach.

LINCOLN FAMILY MEETING.

Members Living in Los Angeles Effect Permanent Organization—Martyred President Remembered.

Members of the Lincoln family will hold their second meeting in the office of W. G. Lincoln, in the San Fernando building, at Fourth and Main streets, tonight, when there will be effected a permanent organization of the members of the family living in Los Angeles.

J. A. Wilson of the G.A.R. and a member of the Board of Education, have been invited to attend to cooperate in making arrangements for the commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the martyred President's birth.

HEAR "COWBOY PREACHER."

Sam G. Betts, known as the "Cowboy Preacher," because of his early life on the cattle ranges, preached two powerful sermons yesterday at the Hamilton Methodist Episcopal Church. The evangelist was quietly attired in black and made little reference to his life on the plains. At the morning service he took as his subject, "The Holy Spirit," and in the evening he spoke of "The Bridge of Redemption." Large audiences were present.

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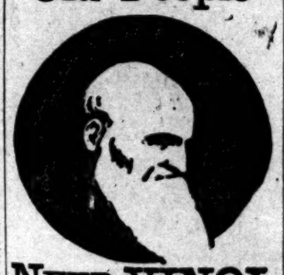

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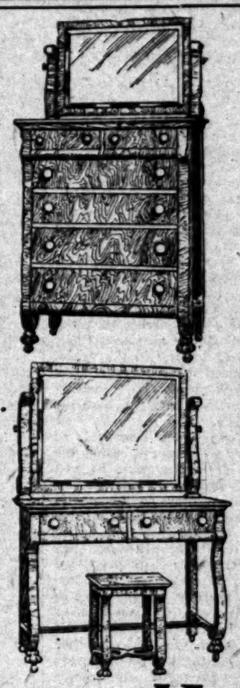

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All judges of good furniture and lovers of the beautiful will appreciate the price at which we are offering this magnificent bedroom set. It consists of five pieces—bed, dresser, chiffonier and dressing table with stool. It is made of the finest Circassian walnut, Crotch veneered, with wax finish. This week we offer this extremely artistic set at the special low price of..... $225.00

This is only one of the many lines of furniture of the better sort on which we will make a special price this week.

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Editorial Pen Points

The hatters have lost their strike and now every man in the union is "as mad as a hatter."

If Arizona and New Mexico are not let in pretty soon they may get mad and shoot their way in.

The trouble with Cuba seems to be that there isn't enough to grab for all those who are reaching out for it.

A man may give all his money to the poor, but even John D. Rockefeller couldn't give money to all the poor.

John Burroughs states that he once loaned the late Jay Gould 70 cents. We think Mr. Burroughs got off easily.

It is simply astounding how an ordinary fish will grow when left to himself for awhile in a Los Angeles park.

"Help backward children," pleads the Mayor of Atlanta, Ga. We think it would be much better to help children forward.

Eggs can now be hatched by electricity. Everything can be done with eggs these times except to make chickens lay 'em.

Instead of running for the Legislature we should think that any man of common sense would run from the Legislature.

It is strange that no Los Angeles man has been mentioned for a portfolio in Taft's Cabinet. Who is Ballinger of Seattle, anyway?

If we would study the dictionary a little more closely we would see that many so-called "rich men" are merely moneyed men.

Snow is falling in Sicily. Now, who was it that said the climate of Southern Italy is the same as the climate of Southern California?

A magazine writer asserts that American audiences have bad manners. The trouble is they take their manners with them from home.

Some spiteful colored persons are now calling attention to the fact that Senator Tillman is also opposed to the education of the negro.

The outward evidences are all to the effect that Prince De Sagan still stands in with the former Mrs. De Castellane. He has just purchased 100 new vests.

The proof that we still have Congress on our hands is furnished by the fact that this year's Federal expenditures will exceed the revenues by $130,000,000.

A good test by which a girl can tell if she is really regarded as good looking is to notice whether there is a rush to give her a seat when she enters a street car.

Now what the dickens is the name of that Congressman who created a sensation by calling Roosevelt a gargoyle? Mercy, how hard it is to remember everything.

The only promise that Mr. Taft appears to have made to the Southerners was to return some day and eat more possum and 'taters. The pledge has no political significance.

When these Marathon race records are compared with the records of men who have run for grave and serious reasons, we see that the professional doesn't amount to much.

If a man can live anywhere from ten to fifty years as a woman's husband and still retain her respect, he can flatter himself that he is a pretty good specimen of the race.

Gen. Castro says he is coming back to Venezuela but he will not start any trouble there. He won't have to; the other fellows will attend to that, the moment the general arrives.

Mr. Taft admits to have been very much fascinated by the girls of the South. Wait till he comes to the golden coast of glory and gets a glimpse of the California humming girl!

Liquor is said to change a man's disposition, making a good man mean and a mean man good. Unfortunately, however, there are a great many mean men who are strict abstainers.

Only fifteen young men in Pittsburgh accepted invitations to the coming-out party of the daughter of Henry C. Frick, the steel and coke magnate. She must be a highly respectable young lady.

Hobson still insists that Japan can whip us. Hobson's saying so doesn't make it so, however. Heaven save us from the test, but the fact remains that neither Japan nor any other nation can whip us.

The proposal to increase the salaries of the President and Vice-President of the United States is now followed by one to increase the salaries of the Federal judges. It is all right. They are worth more than they are getting, every man of them.

The proposition to make the birthday of Lincoln a national holiday is, perhaps, going a bit too far; but the youth of this country cannot learn too much from the example of the "Railsplitter of the Sangamon." The memory of "Honest Old Abe" grows with the flight of the years.

Some fellow who seems to have a lot of time on his hands that he doesn't value has figured out that nine is a very lucky number. Maybe so, but we know men who could carry a number nine around with them for a thousand years and couldn't borrow nine cents from a drunken sailor.

THE OBJECT IS WORTHY.

The State Legislature will make no mistake in providing for an exhibition building on the grounds known here as Agricultural Park. The land is State property and only the State can with propriety improve it.

What is sought is a building suitable for the preservation and exhibition of art treasures. The museum would be used as a show place for the archeological objects of the Great Southwest and of the art production of modern times. A vast amount of this treasure has been collected here in spite of the difficulties encountered, there being no central place large enough, public and so constructed as to make these objects safe from fire and other dangers. With a State building properly arranged in all respects the further collection of objects of interest would be encouraged.

How few realize that three types of civilization have been brought to high perfection in this part of the American continent. From the viewpoint of the ethnological student or of the archeologist the remains of the Aztec and of the mission periods are not surpassed in interest by any in the world. And a fourth might be added quite as interesting as the others in the cliff dwellers. There are no relics of greater moment to the ethnologist than the remains of the cave dwellers.

Measured commercially, with these memorials of the past properly arranged and on exhibition, the money to provide a home for them would be well spent. The remains of the days of the Caesars and of earlier epochs draw more visitors to Rome than the skies of Italy. The city of Paris finds it pays to maintain at large public expense a score of museums in the city, free to all who will visit them. Not only the curious gather to see these art treasures, but students of art, of archeology, of literature and of history visit the city for the purpose of research. In Paris one may find thousands of objects of the highest interest relating to the period of the Revolution, all under one roof. In another museum may be seen reproductions of the separate parts of all the noted cathedrals and other public buildings of France. The Louvre is the home of pictorial art and of sculpture. The Cluny goes farther back, showing objects which date to the Roman conquest. The Trocadero exhibits remains of almost all periods of all nations. In Dublin are priceless treasures of the remotest Celtic times.

When we get this State building erected on the park grounds we shall be able to show the life of the Aztecs, and of the cave-dwellers, that of the mission fathers and of the days of Spanish domination, of the Mexican rule and of modern American times. Such a collection will draw here sightseers, students and artists from all parts of the world. Nor should we forget the benefit the pupils of our public schools may gain from such a collection of art, archeology and ethnology.

This is the New World, and in some respects this newness is a drawback. The Southwest presents more of interest to the student than any other part of America. Here is the seat of the very advanced civilization in the United States reached by the North American Indians. The Aztecs were not naked savages. The textile arts were well developed. Pottery was far advanced. They had an architecture of their own. The cave-dwellers had not reached so high a plane of civilization, but theirs is more interesting because more nearly unique. Old Spain with its Saracenic influence was reproduced in the mission period.

Here is a broad field of study and research, the materials for which must be collected and preserved now or lost forever.

"MONSIEUR DE PARIS."

The above is the nickname bestowed by the French rabble upon the man who at executions divides attention with the condemned—the public executioner. Strange to say the same nickname has also been bestowed upon the bishops, they being called "Monsieur de Paris," or "Monsieur d'Orleans" or whatever may be the name of the see. In olden times when there were several executioners, one in each district, this custom applied to them.

Now there is only one headsman left and the name of the capital has been accorded him as a popular title. This man goes to any part of the country where a criminal is to be beheaded and superintends the preparations for the execution, sets up "the widow," as the guillotine is called in the slang of the lower classes, and finally releases the knife that falls and severs the victim's head from his body.

The present headsman is named Diebler. He is the last of a strange caste, once numerous. He is the son of the former executioner who died a few years since; and his mother was a descendant of another executioner. It is said that he is related to the notorious Charles Henry Sanson, the chief executioner of the Revolution, who beheaded King Louis XVI, Queen Marie Antoinette, Charlotte Corday and hundreds during the Reign of Terror.

When the death penalty was inflicted for a host of minor crimes and torture was also employed, the office of executioner was quite important. There was at least one in every large city. They were skilled in a hundred ways of inflicting pain. They understood the use of the rack, the thumbscrews, the boots, breaking on the wheel, the lash and many curious diabolical instruments of punishment. Despised by every one, these men became outcasts and objects of loathing so that they had no associates or companions outside of their fellow executioners. Generally one executioner would marry into the family of another and their children, refused all decent associations because of their father's calling, were apt to follow in his footsteps. Thus the trade, if we dignify it by such a name, fell into the hands of a caste.

Diebler, Sr., the father of the present "Monsieur de Paris," was not the hardened ruffian that might have been expected but a mild-mannered, harmless-looking old man of, it is said, a rather devout turn of mind, strange as this may seem. He retired a few years before his death and sought to hide himself under an assumed name.

In England the executions best known in history were those for treason of persons in high life, generally by beheading with an ax. An executioner whose name has come down in history, chiefly in old ballads and drinking songs, is John Ketch, who held that office under Charles II, James II and William and Mary. He incurred especial odium by accompanying Jeffries on the bloody circuit after Monmouth's rebellion when he managed the host of executions ordered by that infamous judge. The names of the two were generally coupled in the vulgar songs of the day. Ketch beheaded the Duke of Monmouth, Lord Russell and many of the victims of the so-called Popish plot fabricated by the infamous Titus Oates. A strange custom of those days was that noble victims gave their executioner a liberal tip just before kneeling at the block. Monmouth presented Ketch with six guineas, about $30, with an injunction not to "hack him like he had done with Lord Russell," a remark that seems to have disconcerted the fellow so that he did just what he had been asked not to. He was hooted and nearly mobbed by the spectators for his bungling work.

An interesting fact is that while Sanson's name has come down as the headsman of French royalty no one knows the name or rank of the man who beheaded King Charles I in England or of his assistant. Both were masked and known only to one or two officers of the Parliamentary government. The regular London executioner was afraid to act and could not be found, but two men volunteered in his stead. After the Restoration every effort was made to learn their identity but in vain. Fifty years later a general amnesty was granted to all political offenders under William and Mary, but it was expressly stipulated that these two men should not be included, should their identity become public, although in all probability they had died natural deaths.

In Germany executions are still performed by beheading with an ax or sword but they are private, whereas France turns them into public spectacles. Some time ago a young woman was beheaded in Saxony for the murder of her lover. The execution occurred at an unknown hour of the night in the prison, and the somewhat curious fact was brought out in the dispatches that the "etiquette" of the occasion required the executioner to do his ghastly work in full evening dress.

In America the duty of hanging or electrocuting is divided between hundreds of sheriffs and deputies or prison wardens and no one bears the special odium that attaches to "Monsier de Paris," except in New Jersey, where John Van Hise has been a sort of official hangman for years and has swung into eternity all the State's murderers. Such an occupation does not take well in this country and when Van Hise has applied for the job of hanging murderers in other States he has been refused and the sad duty has been performed by the sheriffs and their deputies.

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

A heated correspondent writes to The Times to protest against the use of the name and standing of the Chamber of Commerce by the promoters of the nasty political quarrel over personal grievances now raging in this city.

The action of Secretary Willard of the Municipal League in dragging the chamber into his invitations as he did was tricky and reprehensible. But The Times thinks no criticism attaches to the Chamber of Commerce. An excellent authority states that the chamber had nothing to do with it and does not propose to mix or be mixed in the altercation.

The Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce has become the largest and most influential commercial body on the Coast by keeping out of politics and factional disputes, by working on lines commanding the support of all parties, all sects, all interests, for the development of the Southwest.

If it should reverse this policy and mingle in partisan rows, political wrangles and personal feuds, its influence would fade, its membership would melt and its revenues would drop off.

The Times does not believe for a moment that the chamber contemplates any such departure from its time-honored and well vindicated policy. It will be found actively engaged in the "pulling-together" business and will never promote knocking and disruption. You can bet on it.

"LAND FRAUD" INFAMIES.

Never were such infamies perpetrated in America as in very recent years in courts where persons stood charged with land frauds. The government prosecutors in the last half-dozen years have pursued a course, which, if laid bare, will land some of them in the penitentiary, and bring much discredit on the Department of Justice.

Former Congressman Binger Hermann of Oregon suffered in his feelings and reputation for years under charges never proved true—cases indeed in which no steps were ever taken beyond the filing of charges. Senator Fulton was publicly abused in a formal charge that he was in conspiracy to rob the people of land. Senator Mitchell of Oregon was proved guilty. Hermann's case was dismissed. Fulton was never indicted. In Oregon a self-confessed land thief, one S. A. D. Preter, was chief witness. He has published a book in which he lays bare a career of personal infamy that it would be hard to match. Because the scoundrel turned State's evidence he appears to think he has earned a halo.

Into an attorney's office in this city some months ago came a sickly, forlorn person seeking employment as a clerk. He was employed and turned out to be a particularly well equipped lawyer. He was offered a place in the firm, but refused. After a time he told his story. While he was practicing in a small town in Eastern Oregon an employé of the Department of Justice swaggered in and demanded evidence in land fraud cases against men who were clients of the lawyer. When the lawyer said he had no knowledge of wrong on the part of the persons accused, this Federal prosecutor browbeat and threatened him with prosecution himself unless he "made good" against the others. He had nothing to tell. But he was branded, hounded, persecuted. His wife took sick and died of grief; he lost his practice and came here to try to make a living.

Time proved the innocence of the men he was asked to trump up evidence against, and then he was able to return home to regain the respect of his neighbors.

The whole business is infamous. There is not a blacker blotch on our Department of Justice. And the man who was the most aggressive among these paid assassins of character is still at it.

A historian states that Napoleon had lots of clothes that he never wore. Well, he has lost his chance. It's a cinch that he can't wear them now.

THE IDEAL "RECALL" TIMBER!

WHAT THE BAD MEN DO.

The child standing behind the tree with a handful of filth said she was going to threw it on "Mame." Why? "Mame was Queen of the May."

That is the spirit of young America in this latest century of the era called Christian. That man who has succeeded is called by those whose spirit is that of the girl with the handful of mud, a bad man. The successful fellow is "undesirable" in the eyes of the one who has failed. The hobo treasures enmity for the millionaire. He is rich. That is as great a sin as being Queen of the May.

But these "bad men" who stir such envy in the soul of the lazy tramp gave last year for philanthropic uses $65,000,000, and it was a dull year in business. "Unions," "leagues" of one kind and another, shout themselves hoarse over the menace of the great corporations. They pelt with opprobrious terms the rich because they are rich, just as the girl from the slums pelted Mame with mud.

Here is the record, $65,000,000 free gifts for the benefit of common humanity. Lay beside this record of a dull year all that "unions" and agitating reform leagues of all kinds have done, and what is the other side of the equation? Exactly a cipher.

There would never be a May festival and a May queen if all the children in the world were like the one behind the tree. Which was the desirable child, the one with her hands full of mud or the one with the handful of flowers to crown her companion Queen of the May? Which is the most desirable citizen, the one with his mouth full of bitter denunciation of his fellow-men, or the one with his hands full of gold to found a hospital, a college, an orphan asylum, or a home for the indigent?

NATURE HAS NOT CHANGED.

The people of the Middle West have not had a winter like the present for a good many years. "Open winters" had been apparently the normal thing. Wherever you went, for some years past, you were told that the winters of fifty years ago had gone never to return; that the climate had changed, and so on. But it has become necessary to change these theories.

Those of us who have lived here for many years will find it impossible to imagine the conditions prevailing all the way from New York to Denver today. Young people have never seen such weather. Old people had forgotten it. Water pipes are burst. Lines of communication are all closed up. The air cuts one's lungs as a knife. Everything you touch sticks to one's hand. Fires are almost in vain. The draught roars up the stove pipe, the blazes leap a foot high, the hot iron glows red, yet one side freezes while the other bakes. Ten feet from the fire water is congealed; when you put your face out of doors, any bit not well protected is frozen in five minutes. Wrap up as you may, if out in the air an hour you are liable to find part of your foot, hand or face frost bitten.

All we can realize here is that we think we suffer from the cold when the mercury gets to 32 degrees plus, but we cannot even dream of what it is to have the fluid frozen in the bulb at 39 degrees minus. When it is cold, 70 degrees additional cold is a thing to be realized only by experience.

Mother's Apron Strings.

When I was but a verdant youth
I thought the truly great
Were those who had attained, in truth,
To man's mature estate.
And none my soul so sadly tried
Or spoke such bitter things
As he who said that I was tied
To mother's apron strings.

I loved my mother, yet it seemed
That I must break away
And find the broader world I dreamed
Beyond her presence lay.
But I have sighed and I have cried
O'er all the cruel stings
I would have missed had I been tied
To mother's apron strings.

O happy, trustful girls and boys!
The mother's way is best.
She leads you mid the fairest joys,
Through paths of peace and rest.
If you would have the safest guide
And drink from sweetest springs,
O keep your hearts forever tied
To mother's apron strings!

—[Nixon Waterman.

The Town of "No Good."

Kind friends, have you heard of the town of
NO-GOOD, on the banks of the River Slow,
Where the Some-time-or-other scents the air and
the soft Go-easies grow?
It lies in the valley of What's-the-use, in the province of Let-her-slide;
It's the home of the reckless I-don't-care, where
the Give-it-ups abide.
The town is as old as the human race, and it
grows with the flight of years;
It is wrapped in the fog of the idler's dreams; its
streets are paved with discarded schemes,
And are sprinkled with useless tears.

As long as a man is willing to pay the freight he can always find a crowd standing around waiting to give him the glad hand.—[Chicago News.

HOROSCOPE.

Monday, February 1, 1909.

BY COZETTE.

Let caution rule and guide the written line.
Tho' on the pen a favorite planet shine.

Mercury is stationary in the zodiac on this 32nd day of the year. The moon is 10 days old. The moon is in trine with Mercury. Jupiter is in square to the moon and in benefic aspect.

In Spain the transit of Mars through her ruling sign during the month indicates military movement and violence.

The sextile of the sun with Mars benefits soldiers, sailors, workers in iron, mechanics and those who use knives or edged tools, during the first ten days of the month.

At 11:30 a.m. herbs under Mercury have good qualities—caraway, carrots, dill and elecampane.

This should be a most excellent time to hire men.

Open new places of business or undertake new work or duties.

Deal with merchants and bankers, but avoid speculation.

The sign over important written documents is favorable, but there is need for great care in their preparation and perusal before signatures are attached.

An excellent day for making known your wants or your offers through circulars, letters or by advertising.

Women with this birthday will do well to cultivate concentration during the year. Good news is indicated.

Men with this birthdate must beware against letting a fanatic idea attain hold over them during the twelvemonth. Their business should be fairly good.

Children born this day are under the third sign of the air triplicity and should possess power. Girls will probably have a high sense of honor and sacrifice everything to principle. Boys will be brilliant but may develop a tendency to become discouraged easily.

Pert Paragraphs.

[Nashville American.]

Holding her tongue somehow seems to make a woman strong; anyhow, she can do a lot more than the woman who doesn't.

What's the use of being married if you can't boss the job? That's why there are so many divorces.

There are too many people working at being specialists who have never qualified for the job.

As a general proposition, ideals have nothing to do with big deals.

It is hard to satisfy some people; but, then, that is their chief charm.

The man who laughs at your joke is entitled to your courteous consideration, and don't for a moment doubt that he is aware of it.

If you encourage a fool he will sooner or later claim you as his brother.

There is only one excuse for having a grievance; if you capitalize and collect profits from it, all right.

Mysterious New Power.

A mysterious new power, called "nerve force" for lack of a better name, seems to be puzzling French psychologists. The latest of the devices by which it is shown, the biometer, comprises a closed glass cylinder about ten inches high and six inches in diameter, in which a three-inch copper needle is suspended by a single cotton fiber while a horizontal degree card just beneath is supported on a two-inch bobbin wrapped with alternate layers of blotting paper and fine wire. The bobbin rests on the wooden stand. When either hand is held for three to five minutes within an inch of the cylinder—no other disturbing influence being near—the needle is deflected 20 degrees to 60 degrees, but returns to the original point after a short period. Light, darkness, heat, cold, noise and quiet seem to have no influence. The average deflection in health is forty-two degrees for the right hand and thirty-one degrees for the left, but sickness lessens the effect by degrees to the vanishing point, the left hand giving greatest variation. Neither heat nor electricity can be the cause of what appears to be the action of some real force.

Failure of College Education.

"Well," observed Old Man Potts, "I've spent a heap of money on my boy Bill's education, more'n $900 jest to see him through Yale. And I ain't through yet. It shorely makes me sore to think of the money I'm wastin' on a boy who ain't got as much sense now as he had before he went to college."

"What's the matter, father?" asked Mrs. Potts. "Mebbee you're a little hard on Bill."

"No, I ain't, Mary," answered the old man. "Jest to show you—a little while ago I says to him I thinks it was going to rain tomorrow. What fool answer d'ye suppose he made to me?"

"I'm sure I don't know, father."

"He begged my pardon!"—[Harper's Weekly.

Judicial Severity.

"Silence in the court!" thundered the judge, and the laughter died away.

"Mr. Bailiff," continued the instructions from the bench, "eject the next man who defies the law of gravity."—[Philadelphia Ledger.

If prohibition really prohibits it might pay the country to submit to it, provided by so doing the prohibition fanatic could be abolished.—[Louisville Courier-Journal.

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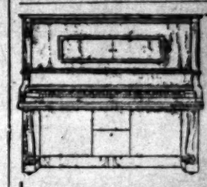

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MUSIC AND THE STAGE.

Florence Roberts's new play at Hamburger's Majestic, "The House of Bondage," is in the main a strong and interesting discussion of the divorce situation in England. It cannot be called a great play, for it follows ...rdlas too closely for greatness, yet withal it is interesting, is distinctly in the modern style, and despite certain faults is always well above mediocrity. It is the work of Seymour Obermer, whose previous attempts at dramatic writing have not met with much success.

The principal characters are Sir Vincent Meredyth, a politician-lawyer of London; Lady Joan, his wife; Paul Bertrand, a London surgeon of distinction, and the Duchess of Banff, who is in love with Sir Vincent, and whom he loves, in a very nonchalant way.

Sir Vincent is neither a bad nor a good man. He is a sceptic on life, and none of its phases with him is worth more than a satirical but honest smile. He does not love his wife, though he respects her profoundly, and she, in turn, loves the surgeon—who is equally devoted to her. The relations of all parties are made clear early in the first act. Sir Vincent is the victim of a serious brain trouble, and his physicians send him to Dr. Bertrand. Bertrand is at first horror-struck at the thought of operating upon the husband of his soul-mate, but as Sir Vincent puts the question to him in point-blank fashion, all his wonderings as to Sir Vincent's status in the affair are quickly removed.

The author has a very good situation at the end of his first act.

"Do you love my wife?" asks Sir Vincent, looking Bertrand directly in the eye. "I do," answers Bertrand, as directly. "Very well, then," sighs Sir Vincent, with an air of finality, "I am entirely in your hands." Curtain.

The doctor is unnerved just before the operation, but it goes on, is successful, and at the last the knight is found pledging his wife to do everything in his power to amend the divorce laws, so that the variously mismated souls may in some manner find the shelter of true love and happiness.

The strongest ethical fault of Mr. Obermer's play is that he has, by impuendo, built up a climactic questioning at the end of the second act which is false to modern life. The surgeon has various qualms of conscience and nerve, is compelled to take reassurement in strong doses from Lady Meredyth, and while crying his professional honor to the heavens—still, the curtain falls upon a question. And the question is, Will the operation be a perfect honorable one? This is false to the ethics of the professional world. No surgeon of today, possessing name and fame but has won them by unflinching honor in strictly professional matters—whatever his prostitution of his private career may have been. And the strongest fault of this is its very insidiousness for suspicion follows the loud acclaim of integrity.

However—that is quibble in a play that is very strong, after all.

Miss Roberts has herself and one actor—Arthur Forrest, a big fellow or decidedly English appearance who fits the role of Meredyth as though he were made for it, and lends to the characterization a force, a sincerity and an intelligence and finish quite unusual.

Miss Roberts has comparatively little to do of the stressfully emotional sort, but such scenes as do come to her she handles with mingled power and discretion.

Thurlow Bergen, who was excellent at his last visit, has fallen into an extremely unfortunate habit of elocutionizing after the old Shakespearean style. His Dr. Bertrand is not at all convincing.

Morris Meyerfeld and Martin Beck left for San Francisco on last nights Owl.

One day's visit of the vaudeville magnates sufficed to bring forth the usual crop of rumors—from several and various positive sites for the new Orpheum to a spring leasing of the Grand Operahouse by John H. Blackwood and James P. Lee for burlesque purposes.

"Tar and Tartar," at the Grand this week, is an example of a very poor show partially atoned for by a good interpreting company. Those who understand the situation should not complain, for the procuring of a musical piece of first class, for stock purposes at royalty which gives the interpreters any chance to live, is a mighty hard proposition after a certain very limited line of works has been gone through with. And this is merely one of the occasions in which the choice was, perhaps of necessity, not quite felicitous.

The libretto seems to have come from Harry B. Smith's notable bookfoundry when the now famous intellectual machinery for wholesale opera comique manufacture was not in full working order. At any rate it is stiff and quite unfunny, presenting much of the "Spring, happy Spring! Greeting thee, we sing!" style of choral literature which has since been the joke of every burlesque.

The unfailing Mr. Hartman, however, was in his happiest mood at yesterday's premier, and between the insertion of one of Frank Daniel's temperance hits—"I'm on the Water-Wagon Now"—and a variety of personal comedy, carried off many minutes that otherwise would have been more than somnolent. The Daniels song had no less than half a dozen encores, and the comedian only stopped singing when voice and parodies ran out together.

The story of "Tar and Tartar" concerns the fate of a luckless sailor, cast ashore on the coast of Morocco and proclaimed Sultan by the freak will of the previous ruler, only to run into a virago, his former wife, as queen of the royal harem.

As far as scenery, good chorus work and much better music than the musical comedy of today possesses, there can be no complaint.

The Burbank stock company is reveling in melodrama this week, but it is melodrama of a new sort, therefore welcome, and—as darkness follows day—accordingly well patronized.

It is the McArthur dramatic version of Rex Beach's "The Spoilers," a novel perhaps well in the human nature-faking class, but notwithstanding containing some red-blooded incidents and sufficient picturesqueness to insure stage popularity.

The story, as the Beachites all know, of course, is laid in Alaska; the people are frontier miners and what go with them—which is saying a great deal, s'elp us!—and the scenes are as varied as the population, here, to wit: on the deck of a steamer sailing into the Arctic, in a law office at Nome, in a northern dance hall, at a roadhouse, and at the mine which is the mystical motive of the whole.

The Burbank players handle the play with force, discrimination and with most undoubted theatric effect. The vated troop of character players in the company, among the men, is disposed through a long line of real character parts, and the results are as might be expected—entertainingly good throughout.

Desmond and Burton, as young Glenister and old Joe Dextry, respectively, owners of the Midas mine, are indeed a redoubtable pair. Desmond in his carefully tailored corduroys and Burton with his natural but artfully constructed dialectic conversation have equal, though different, resonance of appeal. Mary Hall is emphatic but womanly and appealing as Helen Chester; Lovell Taylor is hard and vitriolistic as Cherry Malotte; Byron Beasley is a fine McNamara and H. S. Duffield is equally in the picture as Judge Stillman. David Edwin is good as Wilton Struve, and Henry Stockbridge is characteristically picturesque as Slap Jack Sims.

An especially convincing piece of acting is Harry Mestayer's Dave Chester, for the impersonator actually lifts his part out of melodramatic commonplaces, and, while losing none of the sharp definition needed to make such an interpretation effective, ...e nevertheless gives the whole a subtle gloss of very unmistakable art.

Oliver Morosco has secured "Arizona" for stock use. His possession ends a many-cornered contest for first honors which has been waged for some time, and it is understood that the royalty is no small matter.

There should be an almost ideal cast in the Burbank company when "Arizona" is produced, possibly a month or two from now. Blanche Hall should be ideal as the diminutive heroine, while Beasley as the ranchman-father, Desmond as the army man, and possibly Mestayer as the Greaser would be still other characters of the first order.

"Little Red Riding-Hood and the Wolf" will take the place of Cinderella and her magic slipper at the Auditorium tonight. Manager Crawford's company, shaped and made harmonious by two weeks of work, will be seen intact, with petite Olga Stech again in the leading characterization.

A jolly, good-natured, round-faced, bright-eyed woman stepped from a sleeper on the Salt Lake Limited yesterday morning to the welcoming hand of L. E. Behymer.

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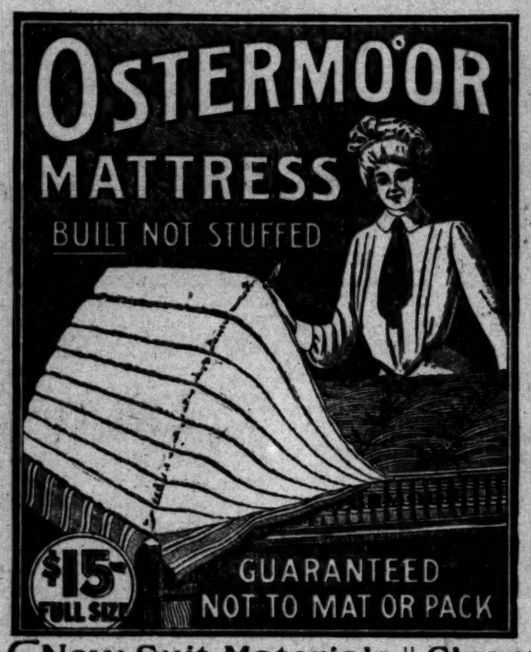

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$5.50 CURTAINS, PR. ..... $3.00 $7.00 CURTAINS, PR. $4.00
$8.00 CURTAINS, PR. ..... $5.00 $10 AND $10.50 CURTAINS, PR. $6.00

Finest Pongee Silks

Elegant silken weaves, the last word of fashion, as shown in gowns that are directly imported from Paris, and as exemplified in leading fashion journals.

26-inch cotele Tussah, a new pongee for spring; all shades, $1.25 yard.

26-inch heavy natural color cotele pongee, $1.75.

34-inch Oriental Shantung pongee, in natural shade, $1.25 to $5.00.

26-inch Oriental Shantungs, from $1 to $4.

New foulards at 85c, $1 and $1.25; arriving daily.

40 and 45-inch extra wide satin effects at $2.50, $3.50, $4 and $4.50 a yard; all new spring colorings.

In 36-inch widths, $1.75 to $2.50; black and colors.

$5.00 Net Waists $3.50

Exceedingly pretty as well as profitable to buy are these handsome net waists, the sale of which we continue from last Saturday.

Waists of white net, embroidered with dots in light and electric blue, old rose and brown; white and ecru waists, with long sleeves, fancy yoke style, lace trimmed; tucked net waists with lace yokes; sizes 34 to 44; good five dollar values, specially priced at $3.50

Misses' One-Piece Suits $10.00

Jumper styles are not only very pretty and stylish for girls, but they provide opportunity for making practically two frocks out of one, by using dainty guimpes and Waists. These are remarkably low-priced:

All new spring shades of tan, blue and gray; skirts in the late pleated styles, jumper yokes; priced at $10.00

$3.75 Wool Skirts $1.50

Women whose dress allowance is somewhat limited and those who want an extra skirt to "piece out" the season with, will buy more than one of these very good wool skirts on special sale just now.

Here in light and medium gray shades; pleated and gored styles; a good size range, and regularly $3.75, specially priced at $1.50

Hair Accessories

Unusual opportunity for saving on the purchase of hair goods, due to our fortunate buying of a quantity of the finest grades.

Wavy Switches, 18 to 26 inches long, in all shades and gray, quality sold regularly at $4.50, each $3.00

Four puffs in a group, specially good values at 35c

Hair rolls, large barettes and other hair accessories here in abundance, all good, and reasonably priced.

We make to order puffs, janes, switches, etc., from your own combings, guaranteeing all work, and at reasonable prices.

New Dress Ginghams

Not a bit too early to be thinking of summer dresses for the youngsters, and certainly none too early to be selecting the materials, for already foresighted women are choosing the finest of our fine assortments—the largest line we've ever shown:

Imported Scotch ginghams, 32 inches wide, in absolutely fast plain colors, stripes, even checks and dainty broken plaids in all combinations, 32 inches wide, 25c a yd.
Domestic ginghams in practically the same effects, 12½c.

$1.50 TO $4.50 Odd Belts $1.25

Almost as though you were choosing from a sample line—so many different styles are included in this clearance sale of made-up belts of all sorts:

Elastic, leather and silk belts in broken size ranges and not all colors; many different styles, all good; previously priced at $1.50 to $4.50, $1.25

Among handsome beltings by the yard, mostly in short pieces, we are offering $1.25 to $2.50 values at, yard $1.00

Special Prices on Silks

Because lines are broken, color assortments incomplete or only short lengths are left us:

24-inch colored crepe de chine, regular $1 value for 85c.
24-inch stripe glace silks suiting; regular $1 value at 85c.
26-inch fancy Oriental pongees, colors only; regular $1.50 and $1.75 values at $1.25.
Natural Oriental pongees, 26-inch width, regular $1 value at 85c.
44-inch natural Oriental pongee, regular $1.25 value, at $1.00.

Dress Trimmings Values to $1.50 ..... 10c

And don't suppose that they're hopelessly antique styles which are offered at such a ridiculously little price; quite the contrary. But they ARE trimmings which are left us in short lengths, for the most part, and in not every shade that is preferred this spring, so out they go:

Included will be colored filet bands, black, white and colored braids, Persian bands, fringes and jets; goods we have been selling at prices up to $1.50 a yard; closing out price 10c

Children's heavy black cotton hose, 1x1 and 2x1 ribbed, sizes 6 and 6½ only; regular 25c quality, to close, two for 25c.

Also broken lines of children's wool hose of 50c quality at 35c, three pairs for $1.00.

COULTER DRY GOODS CO.

Good Morning!
Pretty Chilly—Just Right for
B. B.
Buckwheat Cakes

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BROCK & FEAGANS Jewelers
437-439-441 Broadway.
With Style and Quality. You are welcome to visit the largest jewelry store in the West. Like a wonderful exposition of Art. It is one of the sights of California.

SILVERWARE
COMPLETE STOCK LOWEST PRICES
Parmelee Dohrmann Co.
436-444 So. Broadway

"El Camino Real" OLIVE OIL
ANDERSON & CHANSLOR CO. DISTRIBUTORS

ESTD 1869
S. NORDLINGER & SONS
DIAMOND MERCHANTS
323 S. Spring St. Los Angeles

Nerve Force—
Are your nerves unstrung from overwork or worry? Do you have nervous headaches? TRY—
ELECTROPODES
Your druggist will refund your $1.00 if they do not cure you.
WESTERN WHOLESALE DRUG CO.
Los Angeles, Cal.

Cummings Shoe Co.
551 So. Broadway

Bartlett Music Co.
Opp. City Hall, 231-35 S. B'way

THE WEATHER

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 31.—[Reported by A. B. Wollaber, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.17; at 5 p.m., 30.23. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 51 deg. and 60 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 86 per cent; 5 p.m., 74 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 7 miles; 5 p.m., south, velocity 4 miles. Weather, 5 a.m., cloudy; 5 p.m., clear. Maximum temperature, 60 deg.; minimum, 50 deg. Rainfall past twenty-four hours, trace. Rainfall for season, 11.36. Rainfall last season to date, 7.11. Barometer reduced to sea level.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—The storm has remained nearly stationary off the Washington coast, causing general but light rain from Los Angeles northward on the Pacific Coast, with snow in the mountains and high southerly winds from Point Reyes northward off the coast. The pressure and temperature have risen over the entire Pacific Slope. Southeast storm warnings are displayed from Point Reyes to Eureka for high southerly winds and thick weather at sea. Conditions are favorable for cloudy weather, with showers over most of the State, Monday, with fresh southerly winds, high off the coast.

Forecast:

For San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Monday, with showers; fresh south wind.

For Santa Clara, Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys: Cloudy, with showers Monday; fresh south wind.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy, with showers Monday; fresh southwest wind.

For Arizona: Fair Monday and Tuesday.

YUMA (Ariz.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 22 feet.

Classified Liners.

Times Classified rates: the rate for inserting "Want" ads in The Daily Times is 1c per word for each insertion; in the Sunday issue 1½c per word, each insertion; minimum charge 25c, except under following classifications the rate for which is 10c per line, minimum charge 50 cents: "Society Meetings," "Personals," "Special Notices," and "Baths and Massage."

"Liner" (classified) advertisements for Sunday insertion received over the counter or by telephone after 11:30 o'clock Saturday nights will be inserted under heading "Too Late To Classify."

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before 10:30 o'clock Saturday night. Rates 1½ cents per word.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 77,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times" any time of day or night and secure prompt and careful attention.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in telephoned advertisements.

THE TIMES will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times in payment for "Liners," as no mistakes can be rectified without them.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Mr. Charles H. Lesman, of the firm of Hines & Lesman, doing business as a law partnership at 403 Bradbury block, Los Angeles, under the firm name of Hines & Lesman, having this day retired from said copartnership firm of Hines & Lehman, the business of the said firm of Hines & Lehman will hereafter be conducted under the name of Fred A. Hines & Co., at its present location, 146 W. Fifth st., in the city of Los Angeles, and all those having business with the firm of Hines & Lehman will please present the same to Fred A. Hines & Co., at the above address, for settlement. The bills owing to the said firm of Hines & Lehman will be paid to the firm of Fred A. Hines & Co.

Signed this 30th day of January, 1909, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California. (Signed)

FRED A. HINES,
CHARLES H. LESHMAN,
W. HENDERSON, per C. H. L.

TIMES COOK BOOK, NO. 3, READY TODAY, and until the edition is exhausted, is placed on sale the largest, most elaborate and comprehensive cook book of the series issued by The Times. The 315 recipes for hot Spanish and Mexican dishes and the hygienic department are big features of the publication. The recipes, brought out by The Times Prize Cooking Contest, are generally from Southern California housewives and noted chefs. Price 25c; by mail 5c additional. Address THE TIMES, Los Angeles.

SUNDAY REAL ESTATE LINERS—Classified real estate advertisements for insertion in THE SUNDAY TIMES must be in the office not later than 10:30 o'clock Saturday nights. Other "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion will be taken over the counter until 11:30 p.m.

The great volume of liners printed in The Sunday Times, numbering regularly over 1000 separate announcements, makes this regulation absolutely necessary in order to get the Sunday issue out on time.

CESSPOOLS CLEANED OUT. WE CAN DO IT QUICKER AND CHEAPER THAN OTHER COMPANIES. OUR FOREMAN IS A PLUMBER AND KNOWS HOW. PRICE IS THE SAME. NOODLES & TEAMS. NO WAITING. RED CROSS SANITARY CO., MAIN 8805, HOME 5004.

ALL ACCOUNTS AGAINST HENRY MESSINGER of 203 Central avenue, Los Angeles, or Henry D. Kennedy, prior to January 28, 1909, must be presented within five days to Henry D. Kennedy, 424 E. 2nd street, SANTA ANA, CAL.

RING RELIABLE MOVING CO. Main 6138. Home 72354. Before making contract elsewhere, see us and save you money. Large open vans with experienced men, $5 for 5 hours' work, or by contract. Branch and storage. 1262 E. 1st st.

TIMES BRANCH OFFICE, 531-533 S. SPRING st. Advertisements and subscriptions left at the new Spring-st. office of The Times will receive as careful attention as at the main office. Competent clerks in attendance.

NAUHEIM BATHS—And treatments for chronic heart diseases after Dr. Schott, Oertel and Zander, etc. 703 W. 10TH ST. Highest medical references.

WRINKLES—Bagginess about the eyes removed by the renowned M. Elia Harris method; no injecting; no cutting. Consultation free. Paraffin removed. 452½ S. BROADWAY.

SALE OF F. E. DAILEY AND R. H. SMITH restaurant, 262 East 3d st., to T. J. Welk, Jan. 15, 1909. All outstanding bills must be turned in at 418 AMERICAN NATL. BANK BLDG. by Feb. 1, 1909.

CESSPOOLS, $5 TO $8. CLEANS THEM out. We take out 127 gallons at each load more than other companies. IMPERIAL PUMPING CO. Home 5206. West 5336.

"IF YOUR ROOF LEAKS" (BEN SCOTT.) SCOTT THE ROOFER. 352 S. MAIN. "WILL FIX IT." TIN, SHINGLES, GRAVEL, PAPER. "SHOW HIM THE JOB."

FURNITURE HOSPITAL, SOUTH 38. Jobs done in workmen, upholstering, repairing, refinishing. Goods called for and delivered. 37TH PLACE AND MONETA AVE.

EVERY MAN'S LIFE IS SHORT. FOR your best efforts wear a Bunker Hill suspensory. Strictly sanitary. All druggists.

CALIFORNIA STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS cleans carpets, refitting, sewing and laying. 329 E. 4TH ST. Main 7h, Home A8254.

FEATHER PILLOWS RENOVATED AT ACME FEATHER WORKS, 52 San Pedro. 'Phone Sunset Main 1166, Home F3047.

CANCER CURED; FEE $30; NO KNIFE OR pain; guaranteed. Write SPECIALIST, box 636, Station C. Private Sanitarium.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. West 264. Home B619. MRS. HEATH.

PERSONAL—Business.

PERSONAL—MADAM KARMA.
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WORLD'S GREATEST
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WITHOUT ASKING ONE QUESTION, BEFORE YOU UTTER A WORD, Karma gives dates, facts, figures. Tells you of living or dead. YOUR SECRET TROUBLES; the cause and remedy; in fact, tells everything. Gives infallible advice on all affairs of life.
There are no mistakes made in the predictions made by the great and wonderful KARMA.
BY PUBLIC REQUEST, SPECIAL READING THIS WEEK.
50c—50c—50c—50c—50c.
To receive the 50c readings you must cut this ad. out AND BRING IT WITH YOU.
Hours 10 to 8.
HOTEL WILLOUGHBY, SUITE 7, 556 SOUTH HILL ST. 556.
OVER PARK BANK.
COR. FIFTH AND HILL STS.
OPP. CENTRAL PARK.
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ASTRAL DEAD TRANCE SPIRIT PSYCHIC SEER AND PALMIST. SPECIAL READING THIS WEEK—50c—50c—50c—50c—50c. To receive the 50c readings you must cut this advertisement out and bring it with you. He gives dates, facts and figures, reliable and important advice. Call and he will guide you with certainty higher than human power; tells you the truth, good or bad. Predicted election of TAFT and defeat of BRYAN. HIS REVELATIONS ARE MOST WONDERFUL and acknowledged to be of the highest order, not made to satisfy idle curiosity, but intended to give those who seek the truth a permanent benefit. He does not cater to the superstitions of the ignorant, credulous people. If you are in doubt that he can and will perform all he claims, feel yourself invited to call and he will give you a more substantial proof of his marvelous power than you have ever before received from mortal. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED. Readings daily and Sunday, 10 to 8. Permanently located in his own home, 247 S. HILL ST. 247. BETWEEN 2D AND 3D STREETS. NEAR ANGELS' FLIGHT. PROF. W. E. KING. 3

PERSONAL—

BYRON STANLEY,

OLDEST ESTABLISHED, BEST-KNOWN PSYCHIC IN CALIFORNIA, GIVES RELIABLE AND SOUND ADVICE THAT WILL HELP YOU ON ALL AFFAIRS OF LIFE. READINGS 50c. 424—S. HILL—424. 2

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PERSONAL—MME. ORA, EXPERT PALMist; ladies, 25c; gents, 50c. 203½ S. SPRING. 2

PERSONAL — MUNDO, INDIAN SEER. Readings daily. 341½ S. SPRING ST. *

PERSONAL — PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED astrologer and palmist. 203½ S. Spring. 6

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WANTED.
JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
420 W. Sixth st. Home F5253, Main 2764.
COOKS, WAITERS, PORTERS.
Ranch hands, house and window cleaners.
2 HOUR OR DAY CONTRACT.

WANTED—GOOD PLATEN PRESS FEEDers, DILLINGHAM PRINTING CO., Burbank town, Cal. Phone East 2206. Take Monrovia, Alhambra or Pasadena Short Line cars.

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WANTED—Help, Male. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—GENTLEMAN WITH SEVERAL thousand dollars, to take interest in the best real estate proposition in vicinity of Los Angeles. Highly improved residence suburb. We want him to take charge of property. Call between 11 and 12. MR. ARNOLD, Althouse Bros., 439 S. Broadway.

WANTED—AT ONCE, GOOD HONEST MAN who can invest $250 and services in old established cash business that requires no experience, as owner will teach you the business. This will pay you $150 month. Particulars, 218 S. BROADWAY, office 428.

WANTED—2 MEN FOR LAUNDRY ROUTE; big commission; can clear $25 per week; must furnish $100 as a bond; if you mean business call after 10 o'clock. ROOM 211, Copp Bldg., 218 S. Broadway.

WANTED — A SMART, ALL-ROUND MAN for a light and power plant, to invest in bonds of company; a good salary; steady place; responsible party. Address 2, box 114, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—Man to drive laundry wagon; salary and commission; must furnish $200 cash bond. DIAMOND LAUNDRY CO. 241 E. Fifth st. Ask for Ward.

WANTED—WE WANT 30 MEN FOR THIS season in Alaska, will pay fare and good wages; $100 required. Address W, box 34, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN OF STEADY HABITS, take charge and manage cigar store on Broadway; good location; good stock. $300 required. Address 8, box 5, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—Situations, Help, Male or Female.

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READY FOR BELL.

PUGS FINISH FINAL GRIND.

Memsic and Welsh Reported in Fine Condition.

Both Are Down to the Weight They Are to Make.

Victory for George Means Go With McFarland.

Memsic and Welsh, who are to fight before the McCarey club tomorrow evening in the Naud Junction pavilion, finished their work yesterday before large crowds of sports and the consensus of opinion is that Memsic will do. He weighed a fraction under 133 pounds after his work yesterday, and by his long system of training he has gradually reduced to the proper figure and is strong at the weight. At the Eastside club he showed before a packed house and after the usual gym stunts, boxed four rounds with Jack Redmond, and three with the "Hoosier Kid," a new aspirant in the lightweight division. He will do a little road work today, which will wind up his training.

At Venice Welsh carried out his usual Sunday programme, his boxing consisting of four rounds each with Maurice Sayers and Sikora. Freddie weighed 133 pounds, and made the weight easily, and yet will do some easy work today, as he thinks it will not hurt him.

If one of the lightweights goes to the floor for the count sentiment favors Memsic as the boy who will administer the blow, as all who have visited his training camp at East Side have been surprised at the heavy bombardment which he has leveled at his sparring partners. Memsic seems to be back to his old form when he was feared by all the lightweights in the country. His great showing during the early period of his career when he met several of the best boys at the time, and defeated them, made many fans believe that he was the coming champion, but when he began to take on excessive weight, and was unable to get down to the 133-mark without sacrifice of strength, it looked as though his fighting days were over in the lightweight class.

When Memsic went East last summer and fought Young Donohue he showed some of his old skill, but an accident to his wrist put him out of the game for several months, and then he took on Jack Blackburn, and fought a fierce draw with the "smoke." Memsic's return to Los Angeles brought him forward again as a candidate, and he was matched with Hyland, but sickness prevented the contest. Then he began to train in earnest, and for the past two months he has been getting into shape. His match with Welsh came naturally, and there is no doubt that the fans will see one of the best scraps in which Welsh has engaged in this city, for Memsic has the speed, punch and the strength to give the Pontypridd lad a good run during the entire ten rounds.

Welsh appreciates now that he will have a real battle on his hands, and he has been at his work faithfully for the past four days, and when he enters the ring he will be in as good shape as he ever has been in for a contest which means so much to him. Should Welsh be defeated by the knockout route he will receive the only setback of his brilliant career, and Memsic's stock will rise accordingly. McFarland will take Memsic on for ten rounds in case of his success.

Ad Wolgast has arrived at Little Rock, and Tommy Sullivan has also reached there. The promoters say the fight between these boys will be pulled off, despite the threat of the Governor that it will not.

The Governor of Indiana has stopped the plans of the fight promoters in Indianapolis, and has also declared that the law in regard to gambling on horse races will be enforced.

John L. Sullivan has received a letter from Jim Jeffries, and has left Pittsburgh for San Francisco to see what big Jim looks like. Like Kid McCoy, Sullivan is an old dead one, but is trying to keep himself before the public by writing stuff for the yellow press. No one cares what Sullivan thinks of Jeffries, for we of the present day can do our own thinking.

Joe Woodman, manager of Sam Langford has posted $1000 in San Francisco to guarantee that Langford will fight Ketchel for a $5000 side bet. It is stated that if Ketchel does not cover the forfeit this month Langford will claim the middleweight championship, and there are thousands of sports in the country who think that he will have no trouble in defending the title. Ketchel is not only not anxious to fight the black wonder, but in all probability cannot make the weight.

WELSH AND CORBETT.

TO MEET IN THREE WEEKS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS (La.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Freddie Welsh wired from Los Angeles today that he had accepted terms for a fight with Young Corbett before the West Side Club, here, on Feb. 20. The bout is scheduled for twenty-five rounds, the men to meet at catch weights. Welsh, who holds the English lightweight championship, is given special inducements and a cash bonus.

Corbett is now in Pittsburgh, where he fights Kid Bowser on Feb. 3. After that mill he will return here and go in training for the battle. The knockout administered Harry Ferns by Corbett here recently, has given the ex-champion a lot of class and he has several challenges under consideration.

Balboa Fishing.

BALBOA, Jan. 30.—The barracuda season opened here earlier this year than usual. On Wednesday "Big Jim" Stanss made a haul of 600 pounds. Good catches have been made of yellowtail during the week. Last Sunday several big ones weighing from fifty to 100 pounds were captured off the Southern Pacific wharf. On Tuesday and Thursday, Don Hale of Sacramento pulled in two yellowtail weighing forty-three and sixty pounds. Jack and silver smelt are running plentiful in the bay. Drake Woodin of Los Angeles made a haul of 150 pounds Tuesday.

Class Meet Today.

More than sixty students of the Los Angeles High School are scheduled to show their skill and speed this afternoon in the annual interclass track meet at Occidental College. The meet will be the first chance for Coach Noble to see the new men in competition and it is expected that some point making material will be brought to light.

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Bernie McCay, Captain Oakland Ball Team, of the Pacific Coast League, who may be made manager in place of the veteran, Van Haltren.

MORE SHOOTING.

NEW RIFLE CLUB ASSUMES FORM.

DETAILS OF ARRANGEMENT WILL BE READY THIS WEEK.

New Organization Expects to Join Hands With National Association and Will Take up Pistol Shooting. Indoor Range Wanted and Also One Outdoors of One Thousand Yards.

Fred E. Munsey has been elected president of the Los Angeles Rifle and Revolver Club. John M. York is vice-president; E. C. Crossman, secretary and treasurer, and Lieut. Bathey of the Signal Corps, range master. Committees have been appointed to select both indoor and outdoor ranges and at a meeting of the club, Monday, February 8, their reports are to be made and a range selected.

The secretary is to take steps to affiliate with the National Rifle Association and eight of the members have signified their intention to purchase government rifles and to join the United States Revolver Association.

The club includes half a dozen members of the former Los Angeles Revolver and Rifle Club, who were dissatisfied with the idea of dropping the rifle end of the game. The revolver-loving members of the old club are organized under the name of Los Angeles Revolver Club, shooting Sundays on the range belonging to the police department. The new club will devote its attention equally to both rifle and revolver, on the lines of the Shell Mound Club of San Francisco and the Manhattan Rifle and Revolver Club of New York, as it had been found in other cities that it is impossible to keep up the interest to any great extent in a revolver club alone.

It is the destre of the club to get ranges up to the 1000-yard distance as the new government rifles are accurate at twice that range. A rifle trophy in the form of a medal has been donated to the club, to be competed for at long range and the club is also eligible to shoot for the medal of the National Rifle Association, awarded clubs affiliated therewith.

Plans have been discussed for obtaining a range in conjunction with the Southern California Rifles, each organization to have its own set of targets but leasing the range together. An indoor range for the use of members in the evenings will be opened as soon as a suitable location can be found.

Iniation fee and temporary dues will be fixed at the meeting of the club. The club includes the following members: Fred E. Munsey, John M. York, Lieut. Bathey, Edward C. Crossman, Mrs. E. C. Crossman, P. R. Hanson, L. H. Hanson, F. W. Thompson, A. H. Akin, Edward D. Reynolds, E. L. Stevenson, R. E. Larsen, R. Rose, H. Decius, R. P. Umsted, Capt. A. J. Copp, Jr., H. E. Miles, J. M. Gore, C. A. Bauder, R. L. Gordon, H. Schoonmaker, F. L. Jackson, George Kellogg, W. Street, H. Street, Fred Brown, J. E. Franklin and Dr. J. W. Royce.

RIFLES SHOOT WELL.

HUBBS AND ALDEN HIGH.

C. B. Hubbs on the 200-yard range and Dr. Alden on the 500 yard, made the highest scores at the regular practice shoot of the Southern California Rifles yesterday afternoon at Schuetzen Park.

The conditions for shooting were rather poor as the cloudy weather made fine work impossible. Four of the members uscd the old 45-70 Springfield rifles and as a result there were some sore shoulders on the range.

The scores were as follows:

Two hundred yards: C. B. Hubbs, 43; C. S. Backus, 42; Dr. Alden, 40; G. L. Watkyns, 39; A. D. Ostrander, 39; W. L. McBride, 33; R. F. Patterson, 28.

Five hundred yards: Dr. Alden, 45; C. B. Hubbs, 39; A. D. Ostrander, 39; C. S. Backus, 32; W. L. McBride, 23. With 45-70 Springfields—C. B. Hubbs, 24; Dr. Alden, 32; D. M. McBride, 25; R. F. Patterson, 13.

REVOLVER PRACTICE.

LOCAL CRACKS IN FORM.

The Los Angeles Revolver Club held its regular weekly shoot yesterday on the Bishop-street range and as weather conditions were ideal, some very good scores were made. A. B. Douglas was high man as usual with a 93 with both the revolver and pistol. The results follow:

FIFTY-YARD REVOLVER.

A. B. Douglas, 87, 90, 92; W. E. Smith, 88, 82, 82, 84, 89; C. W. Linder, 86, 88, 82, 82, 84, 86, 86, 77, 88, 85; I. C. Douglas, 87, 88, 85, 86, 85; Dr. L. M. Packard, 85, 82, 85, 82, 79; H. D. Baxter, 84, 84, 86, 84, 80, 77, 77, 84, 82, 82, 82, 85, 87, 84; G. M. Smith, 84, 86, 78; E. D. Nichols, 71, 67, 78, 76, 86, 85; W. C. Eisenmayer, 66, 84, 77; Porter, 84; V. North, 71, 59, 83; H. S. Ponder-smith, 63, 82, 69.

FIFTY-YARD PISTOL.

A. B. Douglas, 84, 84, 86, 84, 86, 84, 84; I. C. Douglas, 85, 85, 88, 86, 90; C. W. Linder, 87, 85, 82.

ENTHUSIASTIC.

STANFORD TRACK MEN RALLY FOR CARDINAL.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Jan. 31. Following one of the most enthusiastic ante-season rallies ever held at Stanford, 135 men have signed up for track work for the season of 1909. As many of the old 'varsity men are now engaged in some other branch of spring athletics and have not yet signed training rules in track, the ultimate number of this year's candidates for honors upon the cinderpath should equal that of last year, when 154 men answered the call.

Forty-six of the men this year are freshmen and among the number are several athletes with good preparatory records who may prove to be available material from which to fill the many vacancies on the 'varsity team. Capt. Horton will institute active work at once, though strict training rules do not go into effect until February 1.

The men who signed up are:

The 100-yard dash—E. O. Billwiller, '08; E. J. Cummings, '08; F. J. Macomber, '09; W. H. Gardner, '09; J. O. McDonald, '09; A. Taylor, '11; E. A. Crellin, '11; W. H. Cline, Jr., '11; H. Smitherum, '11; T. Wolverton, '11; H. Bretherton, '12; H. J. Packard, '12; G. E. Bennett, '13; R. C. Hamilton, '13; C. Whitney, '12; H. B. Sepulvada, '12; T. Coleman, '12.

The 220-yard dash—A. E. Roth, '09; G. E. Cheda, '10; A. H. Myer, '10; R. H. Jesson, '11; E. J. Cullin, '11.

The 440-yard dash—C. Coonan, '09; A. Johnson, '10; W. M. Rawles, '09; C. C. Taylor, '11; R. B. Wheeler, '11; C. E. Blee, '11; W. M. Wyman, '11; A. H. Crary, '11; E. L. McKeown, '11; M. H. Haskett, '12; C. E. Newman, '11; R. Kennedy, '12; A. J. Field, '12; R. B. Carter, '12; F. Y. Dickinson, '13; W. O. McGlue, '13; H. E. Salisbury, '13.

The 880-yard run—F. K. Jackson, '09, R. Steinberger, '09; J. P. Hemphill, '09; G. B. Bush, '09; C. H. Warlow, '10; G. D. Morrison, '10; B. W. Lee, Jr., '11; S. D. Sillers, '11; C. E. Tabor, '11; C. Akins, '11; C. McDonald, '13; T. Sanborn, '12; C. S. Salisbury, '12; R. E. Millsap, '12; S. C. Kennedy, '12; J. B. Beeman, '12.

The mile run—W. R. Mealy, '08; J. I. Thompson, '08; H. R. Ransdell, '10; C. Marchant, '10; C. J. R. Wilson, '10; A. Schnack, '10; G. Holcomb, '11; L. J. Taylor, '11; L. S. Mann, '11; W. B. McMillan, '11; O. W. Boeland, '11; C. R. Nunan, '12; C. Wallaston, '12; F. M. Johnson, '12; J. E. Palmer, '12.

The two-mile run—E. A. McGregor, '08; F. Figg-Hoblyn, '08; C. J. Peterson, '09; W. W. Adams, '09; J. F. Pruitt, '09; W. Slack, '09; S. G. Sweet, '09; W. L. Scofield, '10; E. C. Templeton, '10; D. B. Arrell, '10; G. A. Macready, '10; J. E. Selton, '10; E. L. Hertel, '11; G. A. Stahl, '11; W. A. Boyle, '11; G. Bevier, '11; W. D. Fletcher, '11; R. St. John, '11; C. E. Coffey, '12; R. S. Worthington, '12; H. Endreg, '12; V. A. Clark, '12; L. Stoll, '12; P. M. Levy, '12; J. W. Jones, '12; W. H. Newman, '12.

Hurdles—C. S. Morris, '08; R. E. Beckley, '10; H. Boyd, '11; H. G. Dwire, '12; B. Wallace, '12; B. S. Wood, '12.

Shotput—A. B. Cox, '09; H. F. Humphrey, '11; R. J. Miller, '11; L. A. Stahl, '12; L. Arrall, '12; C. L. Schaupp, '12; T. Everett, '12.

Hammer throw—G. S. Bohart, '10; M. R. Yonker, '10; A. W. Eames, '10; L. Carden, '11; E. Woolley, '12.

Pole vault—A. B. Cook, '10; L. S. Scott, '10; B. W. Upson, '10; C. A. Waring, '11; C. W. Schofield, '11; L. H. Jones, '12; A. W. Drake, '12.

High jump—H. V. Poor, '10; E. W. Cheney, '10; W. Tittle, '11; G. F. Warrick, '11; J. A. Macready, '12; G. D. Keyston, '12; J. W. Doron, '12.

Broad jump—B. W. Upson, '10; L. Scott, '10.

No event specified—R. M. Ford, '09; G. G. Robbins, '10; G. A. Dits, '11; R. C. Fleming, '11; J. W. Henderson, '12; A. Sundell, '12.

HOT MIXING.

THISTLES WIN SOCCER GAME.

Defeat Ranger Team in Very Exciting Contest.

Two Players Try to Settle Issue by Fighting.

Porteous Is Knocked Out by Kick in Head.

A soccer game full of spectacular plays and exciting incidents was played yesterday afternoon between the Thistle and Ranger football teams at Fiesta Park and the Scotch boys walked off with the palm by a score of 4 to 2. Both teams went at it hammer and tongs from the start and never let up till the Rangers lost a corner kick after the last whistle.

At the end of the first half the Rangers had one goal to their credit, while the Thistles put the ball in the net twice in succession with such vigor that the second time it punched a hole in the wire and never stopped going until it hit the fence. Higgins made a spectacular punt just before that went seventy yards and called forth much Scotch dialect from the bleachers. But the Rangers obtained a free kick over a technicality and Tom had his pains for his trouble. Buchen was knocked down in the first half, but remained in the game.

The second half had the rooters on their feet most of the time. The Thistles got a chance at the goal over an outside play and in the lively scrimmage that ensued around the posts the ball got loose and wandered into the net. After a short period the players were apprised by the bleachers that they had better stop and try it over again. After that the Rangers ran the sphere between the posts several times and the Thistles never had a chance. To liven up matters a trifle, McDougall hooked up with a Ranger in the middle of the field for fistic honors and their captain had to pull them apart. Both were ruled off the field and hit it up again on the side lines to the joy of the spectators.

Shortly afterward the Thistles made another goal, which proved to be the last one. Porteous was laid out with an accidental kick in the head and carried off the field. This was the only serious accident that marred the game. Burdon and Jarvis, the goal men of the contesting teams, handled the ball on critical occasions in excellent form.

The line-up was as follows:

Thistles.		Rangers.
Burdon	goal	Jarvis
T. Higgins	right back	Mitchell
Porteous	left back	Williamson
Carleton	left half	Gerrard
Monroe	right half	MacFarlane
Rheinhold	center half	Kerre
Gove	outside right	McCoombe
Gorfunkle	inside right	A. Mitchell
McDougall	center forward	Muirnn
Buchen	inside left	Shepard
Walker	outside left	Ball

J. S. Zerbe ran his aëroplane across the field several times before the game and between the halves, but could not get it to leave the ground although he covered distance in good time.

EXCITEMENT.

MAIERS GRAB CLOSE CONTEST.

BEAT HOEGEE TEAM IN CLOSE ELEVEN-INNING GAME.

Rugar Holds Winners to One Single Swat and Yet Loses Through a Pass and a Wild Throw—One Player Fined for Assaulting Umpire and Another Is Thrown Out.

The Maiers baseball aggregation defeated the Hoegees yesterday afternoon at South Side Athletic Park, in an eleven inning contest, by a score of 1 to 0.

A base hit by Hoffman, a walk to first by Leonard and a wild throw by Orondorff finally ended one of the fastest contested battles ever held at the South Side Athletic Park. Hoffman was the first at bat for the Maiers at the beginning of the eleventh and singled. Rugar followed him to the plate but fanned. Leonard walked and Ely knocked a short one that was recovered by Catcher Orondorff, but in sending it to third, made a wild throw, that allowed Hoffman to reach home.

The contest was a hard pitcher's battle from start to finish between Rugar and Annis, the former having the best of it, striking out eight men and allowing only one hit. Annis struck out seven and allowed three hits.

Four members of the upper leagues were in the game and helped to enliven things considerably. They were Rugar of the White Sox, Kid Mohler of the San Francisco Coast League team, Snodgrass of the New York Nationals and Orendorff of the Los Angeles Club. Bill Goodman was fined $5 and ruled off the field for assaulting Umpire Hoag and Snodgrass was put out of the contest for back talk.

The following is the score:

HOEGEES.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Mehler, 2b	5	0	1	2	3	0	0
Goodman, cf	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schaefer, lf	5	0	0	1	0	0	0
Snodgrass, c	5	0	0	0	11	2	0
Adams, 1b	5	0	0	0	15	2	0
McQuade, ss	5	0	1	1	1	4	1
Flick, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	3	0
Wilkinson, rf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Annis, p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Burness, cf	3	0	0	0	1	1	0
Orondorff, c	3	0	0	0	11	0	1
Totals	42	0	1	3	33	13	2

MAIERS.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Leonard, lf	5	0	0	2	2	0	0
Ely, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	3	0
Wilson, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nast, ss	4	0	1	0	1	3	0
Kelly, 2b	4	0	0	1	2	4	0
Garrity, cf	4	0	0	0	1	1	0
Koeller, 1b	4	0	0	0	10	2	0
Hoffman, c	4	1	1	0	8	1	0
Rugar, p	4	0	0	0	1	7	1
Totals	39	1	2	3	27	21	1

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Hoegees	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—1
Maiers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1—2
Base hits	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—2

SUMMARY.

Sacrifice hits—Orondorff, Rugar, Annis, Bases on balls—Off Rugar, 3; off Annis, 3. Struck out—By Rugar, 8; by Annis, 7. Double play—Nast to Koeller. Passed balls—Hoffman, Orondorff. Wild pitch—Annis. Time of game—1h. 55m. Umpires—Lane and Hoag.

Gardena Shut Out.

Huntington Park beat Gardena in a Southern State Baseball League game yesterday afternoon at Gardena, by the close score of 1 to 0. The battery for the visitors was Fullager and Stout and for the home team, Couts and Simms. The Dyas Cline and Downey game was not played as the diamond was too wet.

THISTLES STUNG.

REDONDO WINS IN NINTH.

The Redondo baseball team defeated the Thistles yesterday afternoon at Redondo, by a score of 5 to 4. The Thistles were in the lead until the ninth when the beach team made the two tallies that won the contest. Venable pitched well for the home nine.

The following is the score:

THISTLES.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
R. Lyon, 2b	4	2	1	1	2	0	0
Scheidecker, cf	5	0	2	1	1	0	0
N. De Maggio, 2b	4	1	1	0	4	0	0
Vogel, ss	4	0	2	0	1	4	2
Cleveland, c	4	1	0	0	7	1	0
Bradshaw, lf	4	0	2	0	2	0	0
A. Lyon, 1b	4	0	0	0	11	0	2
J. De Maggio, rf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Siegel, p	4	0	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	38	4	8	2	35	7	4

REDONDO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hall, 2b	4	0	0	0	1	0	2
Abbott, rf	4	0	1	0	2	0	0
Love, cf	3	0	1	1	2	0	0
Counts, 1b	3	0	0	1	4	0	0
Thomas, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	0	1
Collins, ss	3	1	0	0	1	1	1
McCloud, c	3	2	1	1	9	2	0
Venable, p	4	2	2	0	2	3	0
Lechner, lf	3	0	1	0	1	0	0
Shafer, 2b	3	0	1	0	3	1	2
Totals	30	5	7	4	27	5	5

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Thistles	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
Base hits	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0		4
Redondo	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2		5
Base hits	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	1		7

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Shafer, Venable. Sacrifice hits—Vogel, Lechner. First base on errors—Thistles, 4; Redondo, 2. Left on bases—Thistles, 11; Redondo, 7. Bases on balls—Off Venable, 2; off Siegel, 2. Struck out—By Venable, 8; by Siegel, 6. Double plays—N. De Maggio to A. Lyon, Siegel to De Maggio to A. Lyon. Passed ball—Cleveland. Wild pitch—Siegel. Hit by pitched ball—Hall. Time of game—1h. 50m. Umpire—Stewart.

CLOSE CONTEST.

BOTH PITCHERS STRONG.

The Riveras defeated the Pico Heights baseball team in the first game at Joy Park yesterday afternoon in a six inning contest by a score of 2 to 1. The game was a pitcher's battle with honors about even between Newton and Schults.

The following is the score:

RIVERA.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Doc Newton, 2b	1	0	1	2	1	0	0
McGaugh, 2b	2	0	0	0	2	2	1
Pendleton, ss	2	0	0	0	2	2	1
Phillips, c	2	1	1	0	8	2	0
Borden, 1b	2	0	0	0	3	0	0
Leonardt, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
F. Nagle, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
White, lf	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
H. Newton, p	3	0	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	22	2	4	3	18	9	2

PICO HEIGHTS.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Fish, 2b	3	0	1	0	2	2	0
Burns, 2b	3	0	0	0	2	0	0
Kelly, c	3	0	1	1	7	1	0
Schultz, p	3	1	1	0	1	6	0
Price, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0	0
Rogers, lf	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
Thistle, ss	3	0	0	0	1	2	0
Bradley, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
McKean, 1b	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
Totals	19	1	3	1	15	6	1

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Rivera	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Base hits	0	0	0	2	1	1	4
Pico Heights	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Base hits	1	0	1	1	0	0	3

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Kelly, Phillips. Sacrifice hits—Borden, F. Nagle, McKean. Left on bases—Rivera, 4; Pico Heights, 4. Bases on balls—Off Newton, 2; off Schultz, 3. Struck out—By Newton, 6; by Schultz, 2. Time of game—55m. Umpire—Red Taylor. Scorer—Nagle.

JOY PARK GAMES.

GIANTS WIN FROM RIVERA.

The Los Angeles Giants defeated the Riveros yesterday afternoon at Joy Park by a score of 6 to 3. Newton threw away the game for the Riveras in the first two innings by allowing the Giants to make five runs, three in the first and two in the second inning.

The following is the score:

GIANTS.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Pryor, lf	4	1	0	0	2	0	0
Battles, cf	4	2	2	0	2	0	0
Hawkins, ss	4	1	1	3	3	4	0
Lane, c	4	1	1	1	4	0	0
Clark, 2b	4	1	1	1	1	0	0
Ifronson, 1b	4	0	1	0	10	0	0
Slater, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	2	0
Taylor, c	3	1	1	2	7	0	1
Robinson, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	6	7	7	21	9	2

RIVERA.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Doc Newton, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	4	0
McGaugh, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	1	0
Pendleton, ss	3	1	1	0	1	1	0
Phillips, c	3	0	0	0	8	0	0
Borden, 1b	3	0	0	0	10	0	0
Leonardt, lf, rf	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
F. Nagle, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
White, lf	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
A. Newton, rf, p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	26	1	1	0	24	12	1

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Giants	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	x	6
Base hits	3	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	x	7
Riveras	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Base hits	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Hawkins, Clark, Battles. Sacrifice hits—Slater, Taylor. First base on errors—Giants, 1; Riveras, 2. Left on bases—Giants, 5; Riveras, 4. Bases on balls—Off Newton, 1. Struck out—By Lane, 7; by Newton, 3; by Leonardt, 4. Double play—Hawkins to Bronson. Hits made—Off Leonardt, 3; off Newton, 5. Time of game—1h. 50m. Umpire Red Taylor. Scorer—Art Callihs.

SOUTHERN STATE LEAGUE.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Rivera	1	1	0	1000
Redondo	1	1	0	1000
Pico Heights	1	1	0	1000
Thistles	1	0	1	000
Huntington Park	1	0	1	000
Gardena	1	0	1	000
Downey	1	0	1	000
Dyas-Cline	1	0	1	000

Game at Colegrove.

The Sunbright Babes defeated Colegrove at baseball yesterday afternoon at Colegrove by a score of 1 to 0. The contest was fast and hard-fought throughout, the winners getting four hits and the losers three. The battery for the Sunbright Babes were Derenia and Botello and for Colegrove, Labary and Caldez.

White Sox Ahead.

LONG BEACH, Jan. 31.—The White Sox this afternoon at Belmont Park defeated the Woodill-Huise team of Los Angeles by a score of 4 to 1. The batteries were Meyers and Schildwacher for Long Beach and Miller and Weisz for the visitors. Six hits were secured off each pitcher.

Brick Teams Play.

The Los Angeles Brick team defeated the Simons Brick team in a one-sided game of baseball for a side bet of $50, yesterday afternoon, at Simons Station, by a score of 12 to 3. This is the second contest between the two teams, the Simons nine winning two weeks ago by a score of 8 to 3. The Los Angeles Brick Company's nine is desirous of playing any amateur team in the city.

New Vault Record.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Clair S. Jacobs of the University of Chicago, established a new world's indoor pole vault record of 11 feet, 3 3-8 inches, at the fifteenth annual handicap track meet given by the First Regiment Athletic Association, last night.

AMATEUR NOTES.

Ted Geisler of Los Angeles High School is showing himself to be one of the best all-around athletes in the south. He played a strong game for the preps last season, being elected captain of the team for the year of 1908. He also takes part in the gym club at the hill school, and is running the 220-yard race in the fast time of 24 seconds.

Shute of St. Vincent's is making good in grand style on the Saint's basketball team. He plays a smashing hard game, is in every play, and can be found in any part of the court at almost any time. His specialty is dribbling the ball from one end of the court to the other and then shooting a basket with but one hand.

Occidental College will hardly know for a certainty whether Owen Bird is to run for them this year or not until the conference meet takes place. Bird, who is a junior at Occidental, has said several times that he will not take part in athletics this year as he needs the time for his studies, the junior annual, and the junior play, all three of which need his time. The loss of Bird on the track would go hard with Oxy as he is a star in the 220 and 440.

Los Angeles High School has one of the speediest little men on the track in Southern California today in Rubio, who runs the 100-yard race for the preps. Last season the little man ran in record time in the County League meet and the showing he has been making during the tedious training days out at Occidental indicates that he will be able to run the 100 yards in 10 seconds before the season closes. Santa Ana High School is to have a very fast baseball team in the field this season. With the old reliable battery, Dubois and Tedford, the Santa Ana boys feel that their team is nearly completed. Many new men have entered school this year and there are on an average of three trying out for each position with the exception of the pitchers.

Manager Walter Casey of the St. Vincent's college track team surely intends to have a track this year for the Saints' athletes to run upon. Yesterday morning work was begun on the track. It was first harrowed, then rolled. Cinders and sawdust will be laid on the oval Monday. The track is to have a six-inch embankment on the curves and if the present plans materialize the Saints should have one of the fastest tracks in Southern California.

"Midget" Moats, the Saints' little man who played quarterback on the football team last season, is making things look bright to Manager Casey of the track team. Friday afternoon Moats pole-vaulted 11 ft. 3 in. without causing him much of an effort. This height is good enough to take honors in a prep meet and with a month more in which to train, Moats should be able to get into the collegiate class in the vault.

Now that the basketball series has been finished the high schools are looking forward to the beginning of the baseball schedule a week from Saturday. Most of the teams have been playing practice games and are getting into good condition.

Taylor has been doing good work in practice in the position of pitcher for Los Angeles High, and much is expected of him this season.

Chamberlain is expected to uphold the honors of Polytechnic in the mile this year. He is getting into good form and is making the distance in the neighborhood of his last year's record of 4m. 50s.

Miss Sally Riley of Los Angeles High's girl's basketball team has proved herself one of the best outside centers in the County League. She is a fast, heady player and clever in passing the ball.

The Hollywood High baseball team will be heavily handicapped this year by the loss of Charles Knowles, who was considered by many to be the best high school pitcher in Southern California. He has accepted an offer in the East to pitch professional ball.

Clarence Bean has been out on Polytechnic field during the last two weeks practicing the pole vault. Bean is a member of last year's squad and during the latter part of the week was vaulting more than ten feet.

A second track team has been organized at Polytechnic and will endeavor to arrange a schedule with the schools of the Suburban League or a second team of Los Angeles High. Lawrence Budgeon has been elected captain.

The Long Beach basketball five has developed into a strong team considering the fact that this is its first year and the boys started the schedule with all new men. Talbott is exceptionally fast in the field plays and when he masters the art of throwing baskets he will make a player who will compare with any of the county.

Four of the postponed basketball games were played Saturday and the standing of the schools of the league should be known definitely by the latter part of the week. The Whittier-Polytechnic game for the championship will probably be played on Friday or Saturday.

Troop of Polytechnic has been expected to make his opponents hustle in the 100-yard dash. In practice Friday afternoon he made the distance in 10 2-5 seconds.

Tompkins, Porter and Ferry have been trying out as pitchers of Polytechnic's baseball squad. Ferry has been showing very good speed and control in practice games.

Capt. Walberg of the Washington-street school's track squad is working at the high jump. He made 5 ft. 8¾ in

WISE TALKS

By the "Office Boy"

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The English racing season, which begins early in the spring, will attract wide attention in this country because of the large number of American horses which will participate.

The decadence of racing here, as a result of legislation in various States, has resulted in many of the best American horses being shipped abroad, where the sport is unhampered.

Among the prominent owners who have sent horses to England are James R. Keene, August Belmont and Harry Payne Whitney, while scores of young horses purchased here by British sportsmen will make their appearance at the English tracks.

Colin and Priscillian, two unbeaten horses, head the long list of American racers now preparing for the races on the other side. Other well-known animals there include Ballot, Fair Play, Dinna Ken, Suffragette, Wedding Bells, Sir Martin, which will try for the derby for his owner; Bobbin, Meilsande, Helmet and Baby Wolf.

That the English handicapper holds a high estimate of the American-bred runners is evident from the fact that Ballot, Colin, Fair Play and Priscillian all are asked to carry pounds more than Llangwm, and Your Majesty, reckoned the best English horses of last year.

Many of the big English stake races have eligibles in the American invading squad. These include, besides the derby, the Great English classic, the Ascot Gold Cup, the Great Jubilee Handicap, the Lincolnshire Handicap, the Bachelhan Plate, the Metropolitan Stakes, the Liverpool Cup, the Great Surrey Handicap, the Victoria Cup, the Eclipse Stakes, and the Jockey Club stakes.

WILL SAIL SUNDAY.

Two Ferris Balloons to Ascend on Experimental Trips if Weather Conditions Permit.

A double balloon ascension will be the first big aëronautic event for 1909 in Los Angeles. It is planned for next Sunday, when Capt. A. E. Mueller and Roy Knabenshue will act as pilots with the Ferris balloons, the "United States" and the "American." They will be inflated at the hydrogen gas plant at the Chutes, and will not travel more than fifty miles. Mr. Knabenshue says he will endeavor to pilot his balloon to Riverside, while Mueller may make a try for San Diego, although both admit that the destination will depend considerably upon the day, as neither will make a high altitude.

The ascensions will be the first of a series of exhibits this year under the auspices of the California Aëronautic Company, organized last December by Dick Ferris, J. B. Lehigh, A. E. Mueller, Roy Knabenshue, W. H. Leonard and G. B. Harrison. The company has has arranged to send up a captive balloon, and Roy Knabenshue will make a number of aëroplane flights under its auspices. He has secured privileges from the Wright brothers for the use of their patents and will have the first aëroplane on the Wright ideas in the West. It is nearly completed and will be exhibited in connection with the ascension next Sunday.

The general public will be allowed to take part in the ascension Sunday afternoon, that is, it will be open to anybody who wants to pay $100 for the privilege. If no one comes forward with the fare the pilots will take newspaper men or representatives of the Aëro Club of California.

SLOW AUTO RACES.

Oldfield Exhibition Turns Out to Be a Disappointment, Owing to Very Bad Track.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 31.—A heavy track that was soft from the recent rains, made fast time impossible here today in the automobile races, and at 10 o'clock this morning Barney Oldfield refused to drive, claiming that the Christie car could not hope to make good time under the track conditions.

As the meet had already been postponed for a week, he was prevailed upon to start. The big 200-horse-power Christie blew out a cylinder head as soon as the machine was put into running order. This put the spectators in a bad humor as they had come from far and wide to see the world's most daring autoist drive his Christie machine.

Seyfried, with the White Flyer, made the fastest time of the day, covering a mile in 1:06. Oldfield drove the White stock car with which he won the sweepstakes race, defeating Bruno Siebel and Seyfried. The White Flyer later broke a pinion in the heavy going. No accidents marred the meet.

The stock car events were of an interesting nature. The Thomas machine went three miles in the fast time of 4:21, considering the slushy track. About 600 people witnessed the races.

ANOTHER DEADLY GRIND.

Eight Teams of Bicycle Riders Will Start Today in Another Test of Endurance.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 31.—Eight teams will start in the six-day bicycle race which will begin tomorrow afternoon in Convention Hall.

The race is for a ride of eight hours a day, beginning at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The following teams are entered: Kramer and Moran, New Jersey; Fogler and Root, New York; Bardgett and Mitten, Iowa; Demara and Hill, California; Walker and Palmer, Australia; Wilcox and Stenhouse, Utah; Wiley and Cameron, New York; Denovich and Mackey, Russia.

Loses Championship.

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 31.—Outplayed in team work and basket throwing, the basketball team from Los Angeles, which came to this city with the splendid record of fifty-two victories, after a tour of the Pacific States, met defeat in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium here last night and forfeited its claim to the championship of the West. The score was 54 to 13.

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New Life Injected Into Schoolgirl Sports by Eastern Methods and New Instructor—Baseball Teams and Other Outdoor Clubs Are Being Organized.

With the appointment of Miss Florence E. Rogers as instructor in athletics for girls at the Los Angeles High School, all departments of physical culture for the young ladies have experienced a decided stimulus and a larger percentage of the students are in attendance on one or more branches of the athletics offered than ever before.

Miss Rogers succeeds Miss Heineman, who successfully has directed the physical education courses for girls for a year, and who was obliged to withdraw from the work because of illness.

The new instructor has already accomplished flattering results since her appointment, and her popularity and advanced methods have been such as to persuade a large percentage of the young ladies who were excused from the gym class work during the first semester to apply for readmission to the various courses, and the work is progressing nicely.

Miss Rogers is highly recommended by Dr. Luther H. Gulick, the national authority on physical culture and health training, and is endowed with a pleasing personality and natural talent.

A graduate of the Flushing High School, Miss Rogers is thoroughly acquainted with the New York City systems of physical education, and has received two advanced academic certificates. She also is a graduate of the New York Normal School of physical education, and has had two years' experience teaching in the New York public schools.

Miss Rogers is particularly well adapted for the local situation and the results of her instruction were well shown in the gymnastic exhibition given early in the week by the girls' gym class. Folk dancing and Gilbert dancing are features of class exercises which Miss Rogers has just introduced. The two varieties of drills have been the rage in the East for a year, and to Miss Rogers is due the credit for bringing the methods to the Coast for the first time.

REGULAR CLASSES.

The regular class work includes "setting-up" exercises, either free-hand or light apparatus exercises, such as drills with the wand; dumb-bells or Indian clubs, folk dancing, and varieties of class games such as tag, or modified basketball. The latter game has made a hit with the girls, and embraces all the advantages of the regular game without the necessity of the players rushing up against their opponents.

The players of the two teams are lined up on opposite sides of the court between the baskets, and the first girl of each squad dribbles the ball to the farthest basket and must make a goal, dribble the ball to the opposite basket, ring a basket, then pass the ball to the second girl of the squad. The squad finishing first wins the point. In the excitement of ringing the goals the girls are very apt to muff the throw and often try repeatedly to get the ball in the basket before they are successful.

The girls in addition to participating in the gym drills semi-weekly are expected to join one of the outdoor-game squads of either basketball, baseball or tennis. Prof. Clayton has assisted Miss Rogers in coaching the basketball team, but the new instructor has had entire supervision of the tennis and baseball squads. In addition the advanced gymnasium class is available for students exceptionally well equipped physically to take up the heavier apparatus and pyramid work.

All candidates for the representative school teams are required to pass a physical examination by the resident physician. The charts are filed and comparisons are made at intervals to ascertain whether the participation by the individual player is beneficial or injurious. The girls who are physically unable to compete in the regular classes are given special instruction in modified forms of drills and exercises.

Particular interest is being shown by the girls in tennis, and a schedule of try-out contests leading to the championships of the school is being arranged by Miss Rogers.

Baseball teams are being organized and a series of interclass contests are to be arranged.

Miss Rogers is very anxious to introduce fencing among the girls, and has already inaugurated several new games, such as curtain ball and others, which have proven exceedingly popular with the girls.

Too Slow to Die.

With a pulse beating only 26 times a minute and enjoying apparently good health, Dr. J. G. Mensch, banker, druggist, and one of Perkiomen Valley's oldest active physicians, recently celebrated his seventy-fifth birthday anniversary.

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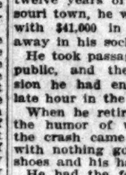
Dr. Mensch, who is six feet tall and as straight as a pillar, never wore glasses and reads his daily paper with naked eye. He attributes his age and preservation to the constant employment of his mind and total abstinence.—[Philadelphia dispatch to New York Herald.



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Passenger on Republic Who Came Near Losing His Entire Savings Returns to New York and Proceeds to Take in Pleasure of Great White Way.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] If the sinking of the Republic did not do anything else, it at least taught Dominick Rousseau the beauties of the Great White Way, and that there are other ways to enjoy one's money beside hoarding it for a return to the old country.

Rousseau was a truckman in St. Louis. He came from Italy about twelve years ago. He was as frugal as most of his countrymen, and accumulated money as rapidly as a ship does barnacles. So, after twelve years of trucking in the Missouri town, he was able to start home with $41,000 in bills safely tucked away in his sock.

He took passage on the ill-fated Republic, and the night of the collision he had enjoyed himself until a late hour in the salon.

When he retired, he did not feel in the humor of undressing, and when the crash came he reached the deck with nothing gone but his trunk, his shoes and his hat.

He had the forty thousand safe in his sock. When the passengers were all saved he found that he had been transformed into a new man. He decided that if he came so near losing all that money so quickly, as that, he'd better loosen up a trifle.

So, when they got back to New York, he proceeded to enjoy himself. He invited a lot of his countrymen to a dinner at Pozzi's in Forty-third street just off Broadway, yesterday, and they had a glorious lot of spaghetti and all the other good things which Pozzi supplies. Last night they had a theater party and went to see "Miss Anna Held in 'Miss Innocence.'"

"This thing of saving money is all right," said Rousseau, "but you might just as well have a little fun along the way. I came mighty near losing all the money—would have lost it if I'd had it in my trunk. Now I'll have some fun with some of it."

The Chinese Boycott.

The significant news item relative to the ending of the Chinese boycott against Japanese goods was printed in a Shanghai newspaper: "Although order has been restored in Hongkong, the fear struck into the hearts of owners and employés of shops in Canton and Macao selling Japanese goods has been such, owing to the conduct of the secret society men in Hongkong, that in both cities the shops in question have taken down their signboards. The 'Do and Die' men have, however, given out that they are ready to cut off the ears of all offenders the moment they are discovered trafficking in the forbidden goods."—[Exchange.

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This is one of the best built homes in Southern California. Lot is 120 feet front by 150 feet deep, with six-room cottage on rear of lot. Only 1 blocks from ocean, and commands a fine view of surrounding country. Has polished maple floors throughout entire house. Two bathrooms with porcelain baths and bowls, tile flooring. Has gas and electricity connections in every room, also hand-made Persian brass and inlaid enameled fixtures and lamps of exquisite designs. There are 2 verandas around entire house with large dome covered with real tiling. The grounds are handsome, having been well taken care of. Has stone wall on front of lot and stone steps. Terms will be given at this sale. Owner is compelled to leave the sea coast and will sell this beautiful home regardless of value. The expensive furnishings of above home will be sold on same date, Feb. 2, at 10 a. m., and continue until 12, at which hour the house and lot will be sold. After which luncheon will be served and sale of furniture continued during the afternoon to suit purchasers. This home is completed throughout with elegant Persian rugs, being the private collection of owner. The furniture comprises some of the most elegant carved teakwood furniture ever assembled, consisting of screens, inlaid with ivory; hand-carved chairs and tables, inlaid with pearl; exquisite hand-embroidered wall hangings and screens; expensive bronze pieces and other bric-a-brac; hand-carved cabinets and secretaries, hammered Persian brass goods; expensive teakwood bedroom set, mahogany dressers, chiffoniers, etc. Take car via Venice. Get off at Bicknell St.

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Monday, Feb. 1st, 10 A. M.

Consisting in part of one upright piano, mahogany parlor suit, odd upholstered mahogany parlor pieces, mahogany, oak and maple rockers and chairs, center stands, enameled iron and brass beds, floss and other mattresses, all good bedding, towels, quartered oak and curly birch bedroom suits, one oil leather couch, leather upholstered rockers, oak dressers and commodes, oak bed davenport, sanitary couches, lady's desk, wardrobes, bed couches, oak extension tables, dining chairs, hall tree, dinner sets, silverware, table linen, lace curtains, portieres, bric-a-brac, Body Brussels, velvet, Axminster and tapestry art squares and carpets, hall and stair carpets, rugs, kitchen cabinets, chamber sets, cabinet gas range, other gas ranges, gas and wood heaters, kitchen tables, utensils, 2 good refrigerators, inlaid linoleum, etc., etc. All above clean and in good condition. Take West Seventh-street cars to Loomis. Light lunch served at noon.

RHOADES & RHOADES, Auctioneers, Office 320-22 South Main St.

Auction

Monday, Feb. 1st, at 2 P. M.

At 807 ALPINE

Eight rooms furniture, consisting in part of iron beds, springs, mattresses, dressers, commodes, all bedding, rugs, carpets, hall, stair carpets, center tables, chairs, rockers, couches, gas plates, folding beds, extension table, kitchen cabinet, linoleum, lots dishes, utensils, etc. L. A. AUCTION & COM. CO., W. O. Trask, Auctioneer. Office 730 South Spring St. Tel. Broadway 1921, F1713.

Auction

1016 Santee St.

Thursday February 4th

10 A. M.

Desirable furnishings of a private residence, consisting in part of all leather Turkish chair, polished oak rockers and chairs, cozy corner seat, pretty pictures with hand-carved frames, lace curtains, sofa pillows, bric-a-brac, burnt wood pedestal, sanitary couch, oak center stands, enameled iron and brass beds, floss and sanitary mattresses, bedding, oak dressers, chiffonier, oval extension table, fine oak sideboard, fine drophead sewing machine, oak dining chairs, dinner set, fine new Direct Action cabinet gas range, chamber sets, utensils, etc., etc. Above goods same as new. RHOADES & RHOADES, Auctioneers. Office 320-22 S. Main St.

Auction

962 Ingraham Place, Tuesday, Feb. 2nd

10 A. M.

Desirable furnishings of a 6-room cottage, consisting of phonograph, stand and records, leather upholstered chairs and settee, lace curtains, portieres, oak and maple dressers and commodes, enameled iron and brass beds, springs, mattresses, oak rockers, dishes, hanging hall mirror, center stands, chamber sets, extension table, chairs, Axminster and Body Brussels art squares and rugs, gas range, refrigerator, kitchen tables, utensils, lawn mower, garden tools, etc., etc. Take West Seventh-street cars to King St., one block west of Figueroa. RHOADES & RHOADES, Auctioneers. Office 320-22 South Main St.

Auction

Monday, February 1st

10 A. M., at

912 West First Street

Five-room flat, consisting in part fine iron beds, springs, silk floss mattresses, fine oak dressers, commodes, center tables, oak rockers, chairs, fine rugs, carpets, lace curtains, all bedding, gas range, linoleum, dishes, utensils, etc. L. A. AUCTION & COM. CO., W. O. Trask, Auctioneer. Office 730 South Spring. Phones Broadway 1867, F1713.

At the Churches Yesterday.

If Christ Came.

REV. DR. CHARLES EDWARD LOCKE, at the First Methodist Church last evening, delivered another sermon in the series on "If Christ Should Come to Los Angeles." His subject was "Some Tyrannies of Custom and Fashion He Would Rebuke." Among other things, he said:

"If Jesus Christ came into our midst He would discredit custom as possessing any absolute certificate of righteousness. 'Everybody does it' is not sufficient guarantee of rectitude of an action, when our standards, our conscience, and our experience are against it. It was the custom to ridicule poor old Noah during the 120 years of his preaching, and ark-building. It was the fashion to worship the golden calf at the base of Mt. Sinai. It was the fashion to follow the example of King Solomon in the worship of Ashtaroth. Custom so far defiles and distorts the consciences of men, that some writers have declared that conscience is not a product of nature, but of custom. It is certain that conscience, which I contend is a divine gift, can be so calloused by custom that it no longer rebels against manifest evils. Custom reconciles us even to evil; that which at first we hate, then we endure, pity and embrace.

"No more today than in the past can custom be depended upon to furnish true ideals of morality and religion. There is a growing inclination to spend the Sabbath in festivity and recreation. The automobile excursion and the Sunday evening dinner are a social abomination. Neglect of prayer and Bible reading is an increasing custom in some circles. It is a deplorable custom to permit the politics of the city and State to be manipulated by conscienceless demagogues. It is just as possible for a man to be a politician and a good Christian as it is to be a patriot, or a soldier and a Christian, and many honest men are in politics, but it goes without saying that the corruption of the politics of this country today is one of the great failures of our republic. It is a custom to practically license nearly all forms of vice.

"Certain sections of our city are confessedly given up to abominations. By the consent of the people the rum traffic goes forward with increasing diabolism, dictating the policies of political parties, defying the home and the church, despoiling our growth, crowding our prisons and asylums, and graveyards.

"The tyrant custom must be combated. Nothing but contest can rid humanity of the monster of evil customs. The evils of the insurance companies, and meat packers, and railroads, could only be uprooted by fierce denunciation and attack.

"Custom neglects and even discounts the family altar, and strict adherence to principles of righteousness.

"Our best warriors against the tyranny of evil customs come out of Christian homes. Whoever would enter this battle must be prepared for wounds and even for sacrifice. The fate of Telemachus and Savonarola and John Brown awaits some of those who would overthrow the wrong, but though men fall, principles prevail."

Foreign Inclusion Act.

At the Temple Baptist Church yesterday, Rev. Dr. Robert J. Burdette preached on the topic, "A Foreign Inclusion Act." In the course of the sermon, he said:

"I once heard the 'pastoress' say, in an address before the Ebell Club of this city: The individual, or the organization that builds a barb-wire fence about itself, shuts out a great deal more than it shuts in.' A hermit shuts himself up in his desert cave. What does he shut out? All of God's great—big world of men and women and little children; of thoughts and dreams, and hopes; of high purpose and splendid yoke-fellowship. What does he shut in? God only knows; but often there's more or less devilry in it.

"An exclusive club is very influential—among its own members. Its voice in the world's great affairs falls like a pebble in the mud. It doesn't even make a splash, which is at least clear and startling. There is nothing but a dull 'blup!' It takes a club as big and wide open as the Republican party to keep the country in Presidents for nearly fifty years. It takes an organization of the people, like the great Democratic party to triumph over defeats numerous and disastrous enough to destroy every empire on earth. These mighty parties are strong and wise, not because of what they shut out, but of whom they gather in. 'Keep out' is good enough to write over a little handkerchief garden, or a little duck pond, privately owned. But you can't write that on the face of the Sierras, or the border of one of God's prairies, or stick it up on the shore of the Pacific Ocean. The mighty things of the world are not exclusive.

"For centuries Japan was a 'hermit kingdom.' It shut out England, Germany, France, the United States. What did it shut in? Japan. Other nations are called 'hermit kingdoms.' Much anybody cares into what manner of hole they may corral themselves, even though they pull the hole in after them. But we will not endure the closed gate in China. She's too important, too rich, and too useful.

"Every traveler rejoices over the ease with which one comes and goes and abides in mighty England. England would have to build a wall around the world to keep people out of her domains. And our own great, brave, beautiful country; The history of the United States is punctuated with O's, and Van's, Dons, Pierres, Hans's Jagos, Knuds and Yons, all of whom we most heartily welcomed in, to say nothing of the Sambos whom we compelled to come in, much against their will. We have taken in many races, digested and assimilated them, and they have helped to make us strong and great. They have largely taken the burden of office bearing off the active American shoulder, and they are of us. Our 'foreign inclusion acts' have been more and greater than any 'foreign exclusion act' we can pass at this late day."

Story of Our Bible.

"The Story of Our English Bible" was the theme of Rev. J. Horace Mallows at Plymouth Congregational Church, yesterday. In developing it, he said:

"No one has read the Bible in the original manuscripts. They are lost. The Old Testament was written in Hebrew, the New Testament in Greek. The Bible was not written at one sitting, at least sixteen centuries intervene between the first and last books.

"The first serious attempt at translating the Bible into English was made by John Wyclif in the fourteenth century and this was translation not from the originals, but from the Latin Vulgate. About a hundred years later and when printing had been invented, William Tindale, a very scholarly man, undertook the task of giving the English people the Bible in their own tongue. The translation has become the foundation on which all subsequent versions have been based. Following Tindale's in the next seventy-five years there appeared many translations, including Coverdale's, Matthew's, Taverner's, the Genevan, the Bishop's, the Douai Bibles and the authorised version, which was given to the public in 1611 A. D., and is far superior to any which preceded it.

"However, it was not received with open arms and for fifty years it had a formidable rival in the Genevan, but finally won universal acceptance on the ground of its merit.

"After two centuries there again appeared the need of another revision. Time had brought changes and many words had fallen by the wayside. Moreover, older and more perfect manuscripts of the New Testament had been discovered. In 1881 the New Testament, and in 1885, the Old Testament were issued as the English revised version. The most eminent scholars had been employed on this great work.

"In 1901 appear the American Standard Revision, which, in the judgment of scholars in the old and new worlds, is by far the best translation of our Bible in the English tongue. There is no doubt it will eventually supersede the others. Quite recently the Twentieth Century Bible has been published. It gives the scriptures in modern English and is intended to popularize the Book. Hundreds will read it who have no taste for the more stately and certainly more beautiful English of the former versions."

Lesson of Joseph.

At the evening service, Rev. J. W. Shoaff, D.D., pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, delivered the fourth of his series on the "Life and Times of Joseph." Reviewing that part of the history in which Joseph appeared before Pharaoh and interpreted the dreams which had caused such anxiety upon the part of the sovereign, the speaker said in part:

"There is the law that enters into the social order of the world—the law of mutual dependence; Pharaoh surrounded by the wealth and glory of Egypt found he had need for the prisoner in the dungeon. He wanted his dreams interpreted. He received the interpretation from the Hebrew prisoner. The law of mutual dependence is extant today. It constitutes the equipoise and balance of our great social fabric. As we study the history before us we are taught something of the beneficial uses of adversity. The disciplinary processes through which Joseph passed and to which he patiently submitted prepared him for the efficient performance of his duty and office in the empire of Egypt. He developed a type of manhood in which he stands before us as one of the greatest characters in the history of the ages.

"This disciplinary process is one of the great laws of the providential economy of the universe. Let us not be staggered at the apparent severity of the divine method. Mountains of strength and majesty with their helmets of granite, are the birth to the geologic throes of the ages. God may lead you through deep waters, but in the end He will bring you forth into the dry and wealthy place.

"Among other lessons we might leave with you, there is one that we would burn into the heart and memory of every young man here this evening, viz., that religion and the business prosperity are united in eternal wedlock. There is a fallacy abroad in the world against which we would warn you—it is the prevalent idea that religion and success in business are incompatible. If you start out in life with that idea you already have the prophecy of absolute failure. Millions made at the cost of character and religious principle will leave you a moral wreck upon the shores of time. Put your religion into your business. Be fervent in spirit, diligent in business serving the Lord. The only prosperity that commands the blessing of God, that will stand the test of time and eternity, is that which provides all things honest in the sight of God and man. Let your business relations and activities be conducted according to the higher law of heaven. Above everything be men of Christian honor and integrity."

Universalism and New Birth.

At the Universalist services in Cumnock Hall the pastor, Rev. C. Elwood Nash, D.D., spoke of regeneration as conceived by his church. He said in part:

"Universalism has formulated no dogma of the second birth. But the logic of its doctrine, of the divineness of humanity, necessitates certain deductions. As God's child man never loses his birthright, and thus is incapable of total depravity. The evolution of his godlike nature must proceed normally by law, not by miracle. The law of the divine life involves constant adjustment to every new order without and all new thought and feeling within. Each such adjustment implies an awakening of the soul, which may well be described by the simile of a new birth or creation. We do not take kindly therefore to the thought of solitary salvation; we prefer to advance by growth in grace and wisdom rather than by leaps and bounds.

"At the same time we recognize the lure of speculative religion. The dream of getting spiritually rich all at once, of putting off the old man like a garment and donning the new ready made, is fascinating. Conscious of his sins, and weary of the struggle with lowering passions and wanton will, man loveth to picture the coming of some great rescuer, some volcanic upheaval, which will transform him in a twinkling. Nor can it be denied that in both realms, the spiritual and the physical, marvelous and quick changes do occur. The possibility of rapid accession of soul force, of kaleidoscopic shiftings of the soul powers, of the sudden loss of accustomed dispositions and the equally sudden acquisition of fresh and strange interests, is beyond question.

"The point to be made is that not all characters are equally suggestible (to use the current psychopathic term) in such matters. And while probably or even indubitably many have been richly blessed by such invasion of the Holy Ghost, many others have been saddened and made desperate by their want of susceptibility, which they interpreted as the absence of God.

"Not one, but numerous new births mark the progress of the soul. There is an intellectual new birth, a birth of the affections, a birth of will power, and each several faculty has its date of coming into conscious activity and expression. Of all these that is, no doubt, the most vital which gives us the vision of God and of the soul in its relation to Him. Every man is capable of this; it is as inevitable in the course of his development as the opening the eyes of a babe; and its consequences are of similar import. This we take to be the Master's meaning. Beliefs, ceremonies, even practical exercise of the virtues, do not of themselves guarantee fullness of spiritual life. That depends upon conscious harmony of the soul with God. Till that is won there is no real entrance into the divine kingdom."

Sitting Down.

After three weeks in Portland, Rev. Arthur S. Phelps occupied his pulpit at Central Baptist Church yesterday. In his sermon on "Sitting Down," he said:

"The very sight of a church congregation is inspiring. A stroke of the clock has separated them from the hundreds passing to and fro on the streets. How much the church pew means to the worshiper! I have often wondered that we find no reference in all literature to sitting down. Amid all the foolish nonsense that poets write, why have they neglected to pay tribute to so poetic and human a theme? When weary, how blessed to find a seat. Look at that tired mother. She has been going all day, and now the children are in bed, and as she takes the mending and draws up her chair to the fire beside her husband, she heaves a sigh, and says, 'It is so good to sit down!'

"The church pew means all this to the worshiper, doesn't it? Tired of the trickery of life, or worn in body and mind by looking for a situation in a strange city, or spent with the desperate struggle against evil within and without, he sits in his pew on Sunday morning, the slanting light from the stained glass window falling across his face, the peal of the organ finding its response in the vibrating chords of his heart. He is like the blind beggar sitting by the wayside; he is waiting the approach of Jesus.

"The aged grandmother, in life's evening, sitting by the lattice to catch the best light, her open Bible on her knees, looks away beyond the window and sees the King in His glory. She, too, is sitting at teh Master's feet, and that light you see in her face is not the light of the setting sun, but of the dawn of the eternal morning.

"It was a picture of the church, and not simply the picture of a hillside, that Matthew drew when he said: 'When he had sat down his disciples came unto him, and he opened his mouth and taught them.' I like to find the long black veil of bereavement among the faces that look up to me from the church pews. As King David, after his retirement on account of Absalom's death, sat in the gate among the people, so there is comfort for the broken in heart among God's saints.

"Even the Lord Jesus, after His long, sad journey through life's lonely ways, 'sat down at the right hand of the majesty of God.'"

Hospital Nurse-Matron

Gives Valuable Recipe for Constipation, Liver Trouble and Piles.

A trained nurse and matron of one of New York's large hospitals gives valuable advice for the treatment of constipation and the prevention of contagious and infectious diseases. She says: "Intestinal indigestion, dyspepsia, wind and gas on stomach and bowels, biliousness, heartburn, heart palpitation, piles and painful evacuations are directly due to it, while all the fevers and contagions are more likely to attack the constipated individual. Children are robbed of health and brain-power by these poisons. Mothers, never permit any member of your family to be constipated 24 hours, and you will have little sickness and few doctor bills. Use the following prescription: Get 'one ounce aromatic fluid cascara,' one ounce compound essence cardiol,' and 'two ounces aromatic syrup rhubarb.' Mix, and adults take ½ to 2 teaspoonfuls after each meal, and give children five drops to a teaspoonful, according to age. I think every intelligent family should keep this in the home."

SHIPPING.

PORT LOS ANGELES, SAN PEDRO.

ARRIVED—SUNDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamship George W. Elder, Capt. Jessen, from Portland, via Eureka and San Francisco.
Steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, from San Diego.
Steamer Tamalpais, Capt. Anderson, from Columbia River.
British steamer Princess Ena, Capt. Whiteley, 350 tons, from Victoria, B. C.
Steamer Coos Bay, Capt. Nicholson, from San Francisco and way ports.
Steamer Iaqua, Capt. Self, from San Diego.
Steamer Whittier, Capt. Rennie, from San Diego.

SAILED—SUNDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, for San Francisco, via Redondo and Santa Barbara.
Steamer Coos Bay, Capt. Nicholson, for San Francisco and way ports.
Steamer Whittier, Capt. Rennie, for San Francisco.
Schooner Alert, Capt. Krebs, for Bellingham in ballast.

IN PORT—SUNDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamship George W. Elder, S. P. Dock Co. wharf.
Steamer Tamalpais, E. K. Wood wharf.
British steamer Princess, Ena, Salt Lake wharf.
Steamer Iaqua, South, Cal. wharf.
Steamer Whittier, Salt Lake wharf.
Steamer Harold Dollar, E. K. Wood wharf.
Steamer Wasp, S. P. slip.
Steamer Bee, Salt Lake wharf.
Steamer J. J. Loggie, E. K. Wood wharf.
Steamer Cabrillo, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Santa Rosa Island, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Hugh Hogan, Salt Lake wharf.
Schooner Louise, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.

TO LEAVE—MONDAY, FEB. 1.

Steamship George W. Elder, Capt. Jessen, for Portland, via Eureka and San Francisco.
Steamer Bee, Capt. Olsen, for Coos Bay.
Schooner Louise, Capt. Anderson, for Umpqua River in ballast.
Steamer J. J. Loggie, Capt. Renier, for Eureka.

TUESDAY, Feb. 2—Steamship City of Puebla, Capt. Shay, for San Diego.

ON WAY TO THIS PORT.

Steamer St. Helens, from Portland.
Steamer George W. Fenwick, from Astoria.
Steamer Wellesley, from Astoria, via San Francisco.
Steamship City of Puebla, from Seattle, via Eureka, San Francisco, Santa Barbara and Redondo.
Schooner Endeavor, from Portland.
Schooner Fearless, from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Lottie Bennett, from Tacoma.
Schooner Cecelia Sudden, from South Bend.
Schooner Mary Dodge, from Marshfield.
Schooner Fred J. Wood, from Portland.
Schooner Allen A., from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Expansion, from Raymond.
Schooner Eric, from Tacoma.
Schooner Charles E. Falk, from Everett.

COMING FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

British ship Celticburn, Capt. Daniel, 2000 tons, out sixty-two days from Newcastle, Eng.
American schooner Ruth E. Godfrey, Capt. Johnson, out twenty-one days from Antofagasta, Chile.
Norwegian steamer Hornelen, Capt. Nilsen, from Antofagasta, loading.

Movement of "Mosquito Fleet."

The steamer Hermosa makes daily trips to Catalina Island and return.

ARRIVED—SUNDAY, JAN. 31.

Launches Music, Camiguin and Nora, from Long Beach, with passengers.

SAILED.

Launches Music, Camiguin and Nora, for Long Beach, with passengers.
Seven sailboats for fishing banks, and returned.

Tide Table of San Pedro.

			High.	Low.
Monday,	Feb.	1.....	5:45 a.m.	0:31 a.m.
			6:00 p.m.	1:47 p.m.
Tuesday,	"	2.....	7:36 a.m.	1:18 a.m.
			9:19 p.m.	2:27 p.m.
Wednesday,	"	3.....	8:04 a.m.	1:59 a.m.
			9:53 p.m.	3:06 p.m.
Thursday,	"	4.....	8:36 a.m.	2:37 a.m.
			10:22 p.m.	3:32 p.m.
Friday,	"	5.....	9:13 a.m.	3:06 a.m.
			10:47 p.m.	3:59 p.m.
Saturday,	"	6.....	9:45 a.m.	3:34 a.m.
			11:09 p.m.	4:24 p.m.
Sunday,	"	7.....	10:12 a.m.	4:03 a.m.
			11:33 p.m.	4:45 p.m.
Monday,	"	8.....	10:38 a.m.	4:37 a.m.
			11:46 p.m.	5:04 p.m.
Tuesday,	"	9.....	11:08 a.m.	5:12 a.m.
				5:26 p.m.

Port Items.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 8 miles.

The North Pacific Company's steamship George W. Elder, Capt. Jessen, arrived this morning from Portland, via Eureka and San Francisco, with passengers and 1100 tons of miscellaneous freight and merchandise. She will clear on the return trip tomorrow.

The schooner Alert, Capt. Krebs, completed the discharge of 800,000 feet of lumber for the E. K. Wood Lumber Company, and sailed today in ballast for Bellingham to reload.

The British steamer Princess Ena arrived today from Victoria, B. C., with a cargo of fertilizer for W. R. Grace & Co.

The Pacific Coast Company's steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, arrived this morning from San Diego. After taking freight and passengers, she cleared for San Francisco, via Redondo and Santa Barbara.

The steamer Tamalpais, Capt. Anderson, arrived this morning from Astoria, carrying 600,000 feet of lumber, consigned to the E. K. Wood Lumber Company.

Departures Monday will include the steamers J. J. Loggie, Capt. Renier, for Eureka; Bee, Capt. Olsen, for Coos Bay, and the schooner Louise, Capt. Anderson, for the Umpqua River in ballast.

The Pacific Coast Company's steamship City of Puebla, Capt. Shay, will arrive tomorrow on her initial trip from Seattle, via Eureka, San Francisco, Santa Barbara and Redondo. She will clear Tuesday for San Diego.

The steamer St. Helens has cleared from Portland for San Pedro, with 1,120,000 feet of lumber, consigned to the National Lumber Company.

The steamer Tahoe has been chartered to load a lumber cargo at Gray's Harbor for San Pedro at $4.25. The schooner Caroline, Capt. Westerdahl, has arrived at Umpqua River and will load 550,000 feet of lumber for the Kerckhoff-Cuzner Mill and Lumber Company.

The freight steamer Coos Bay, Capt. Nicholson, was in and out today from San Francisco with cargo for the Pacific Coast Steamship Company.

The steamer Whittier, Capt. Rennie, arrived from San Diego and, after loading 18,500 barrels of oil at Terminal, cleared for San Francisco with cargo consigned to the Union Oil Company.

The steamer Iaqua, Capt. Self, returned this morning from San Diego with a cargo of shingles for the Southern California Lumber Company.

REDONDO.

ARRIVED—SUNDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, from San Diego, via San Pedro.

SAILED—SUNDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, for San Francisco, via Santa Barbara.
Steamer Maverick, Capt. Danielsen, for Point Richmond.

SCHEDULE OF ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

MONDAY, Feb. 1—Steamship City of Puebla, from Seattle, via Eureka, San Francisco and Santa Barbara, en voyage for San Diego, via San Pedro.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 3—Steamship City of Puebla, foor Seattle, Puget Sound ports, Eureka, San Francisco and Santa Barbara, en voyage from San Diego, via San Pedro.

THURSDAY, Feb. 4—Steamship State of California, from San Francisco, via Santa Barbara, en voyage for San Diego, via San Pedro.

SATURDAY, Feb. 6—Steamship State of California, from San Deigo, via San Pedro, en voyage for San Francisco, via Santa Barbara.

SUNDAY, Feb. 7—Steamship Santa Rosa, from Seattle, via Puget Sound ports, Eureka, San Francisco and Santa Barbara, en voyage for San Diego, via San Pedro.

TUESDAY, Feb. 9—Steamship Santa Rosa, from San Diego, via San Pedro, for Seattle, via Santa Barbara, San Francisco, Eureka and Puget Sound ports.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 10.—Steamship State of California, from San Francisco, via Santa Barbara, en voyage for San Diego, via San Pedro.

LOADING FOR PORT OF REDONDO.

Schooner Allen A., at Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Azalea, at Eureka.
Steamer Alcatraz, at Del Mar.
Steamer Quinault, at Willapa.
Steamship Santa Rosa, at Seattle.

SAILING FOR PORT OF REDONDO.

Barkentine Retriever, from Bellingham.
Steamship City of Puebla, from Seattle, Puget Sound ports, Eureka, San Francisco and Santa Barbara.
Steamship State of California, from San Diego, via San Pedro.

Movement of the "Mosquito Fleet."

The sloops Redondo, Ina, Martha, Eagle and Heibertha made their usual trip to the fishing banks today, returning with about two hundred pounds of fresh fish for local and Los Angeles dealers.

Notes.

The State of California was in and out north-bound today, taking fifty tons of miscellaneous cargo and the passengers for Santa Barbara and San Francisco.

The steamer Maverick finished discharging her cargo of oil this afternoon and sailed for return to Point Richmond.

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FACTS, FEATURES AND FANCIES FOR WOMEN

BY MISS SYDNEY FORD.

As I sat in church yesterday and watched the ushers seating people, I had a vital throb of sympathy for them—the ushers, I mean. I came to the conclusion that all churchgoers—like all Gaul—may be divided into three parts—those who want to sit in front, those who are determined to occupy the back pew, and those who are polite enough to go where the usher indicates. The first class are almost invariably afflicted with deafness, at least that is what they tell the usher. I was simply amazed at the number of deaf people in Los Angeles. By actual count I distinctly heard seventeen people tell the usher who worked down my aisle that they were slightly hard of hearing and would he give them a seat as near the front as possible, please? One was a comparatively young woman and I thought I saw a twinkle in the eye of that dignified usher as he solemnly and sympathetically conducted her down the aisle and into the altar, where he placed a chair for her under the very "drippings of the sanctuary" as the old deacon said. She didn't exactly like it, either. I could tell by the way she hung back when they reached the third row from the front which was evidently the location she had in her mind's eye.

The second class of people I observed are those women who wear big and becoming hats. They don't want to take them off, so their only sure refuge is the back row of seats. It stands to reason that there are not enough to go around and that is where the difficulty comes in. In this particular church where I made my observations, the ushers are in the habit of fastening back the seats of certain chairs reserved for themselves, for after a man has been promenading the aisles of a church constantly for an hour he naturally must have a sitting somewhere reserved, for it would be a physical hardship to be compelled to stand during the service, and if an usher doesn't earn a seat in the congregation, pray who does? These very modest ushers usually reserve rear seats for themselves. These half dozen chairs appear to be veritable magnets to the back-seat brigade of big-hatted women. Repeatedly have the fastenings been broken and the chairs taken by late arrivals, some of whom actually refuse to vacate when informed by the long-suffering usher as to whom they are intended for. "Mayn't I sit here till the usher is ready to occupy it?" is a frequent plea, and the wily woman knows perfectly well that the average man will hesitate to ask a woman to give up her seat at the beginning of service.

Who wouldn't be an usher?

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Keep Sweet.

A busy, careworn housewife writes me: "Life is such drudgery. Always doing the same things over and over again."

I know it. Some one, I forgot who, has truly said, "Of all work that brings about results, nine-tenths must be drudgery." I have a friend, a bright Los Angeles girl who went out from here a few years ago to do a work that involved great technical skill. She achieved success and fame. When I visited her in Washington I observed, tucked into one corner of the mirror, the above quotation and I asked her about it. "I read it every morning," she said, "and again at night, and I keep saying it over during the day as I go about my tasks."

To outside observers this girl was working in the limelight and did not know drudgery, but she knew that it was the keeping everlastingly at it that had brought her where she was.

Blessed be drudgery. Everything, that is worth doing, has to be done "over an over again," as my correspondent complains. It's not only housework, the artist, the musician, the preacher, the teacher, the clerk, the writer must keep doing "over and over again" the same things. No sooner is one sermon delivered, one picture painted, one article written, or one lesson taught, but another must be at once prepared. The main thing is to meet our tasks with a smile and do our best, that's the thing worth while, and just remember that if you have a heartache there are millions of others who have one, too.

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Cherry Teas.

Today ushers in the shortest and most patriotic month in the year. Lincoln and Washington both first saw the light in February, and hence patriotic parties will be in vogue throughout the month. Many women like to give little afternoon teas that serve the purpose of canceling social obligation without great expense or trouble. Such a function may be attractively arranged by giving a cherry tea. The rooms might be decorated with Japanese cherry blossoms and the tea cups should each hold a maraschino cherry and the ices or salad could be topped with the same red cherries. By the way, a certain big confectionery store on Broadway offers the candied cherries at 60 cents a pound, whereas most shops hold the price at 75 cents. At the store above mentioned you may buy a half or quarter-pound, or even less, as you like. Most groceries I find sell nothing but the full pound at that rate.

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The Handy Housewife.

Always wash the lettuce, cabbage, spinach or any kind of greens in water with a half-cup of salt, for it brings out the worms if any are there.

She removes the brown from her baking cups and saucers by rubbing them with a flannel which has been dipped in whiting.

When cleaning the floor, she takes out the bottom drawers of heavy cabinets and dressers, and through the opening cleans the floor perfectly without moving the furniture.

She dries out her scraps of bread, rolls them to a powder with the rolling pin and keeps the "bread dust" in a closed jar in a dry place for use in breaded croquettes, fried fish, chops, etc.

She cleans bottles by filling them with bits of torn newspaper and then pours in warm, soapy water, shakes vigorously and rinses the now shining bottle in clear water.

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In the Sewing-room.

For dainty fancy work, don't use pins which invariably leave an imprint in delicate fabrics. Use instead, wax-tipped needles which are quickly made by dipping the eyes of fine needles in melted wax, thus giving them tiny heads.

When buttonholing scallops, if a cord about the size of wrapping twine is sunned around the edge, it is impossible for the cloth to tear between the scallops, and it raises the edge a little the same as padding.

Have a shoe shelf, instead of a shoe box or bag. Then each pair can have its particular shelf, or two pairs may be accommodated on the same. You can at once see the array of shoes and select the pair you want without bother.

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Fashionable Fabrics.

Foulards in small figures are given a leading place in new materials. Some of them have inch-wide satin borders of plain color.

Thin woolen, which make up into charming house dresses are found in all the fashionable shades and tones.

A dainty robe gown of white batiste with tiny black dots and a border of dull pink stripe is very stylish.

A leading Paris dressmaker predicts that the color most in vogue for spring will be a soft shade of prune, known as violet, and all the tones leading therefrom.

Most of the new linens are in natural color, but some have narrow color stripes, wide apart. Linen gowns are made quite plain and close-fitting, being buttoned down each side of the front from throat to hem with tiny linen buttons.

Shades that promise to lead for early spring at least, are wood rose, wistaria, catawba, amethyst, mulberry and dull rose. A lovely shade of pink known as rose Bengale passe, has the softness of a dying rose; the new browns include fenille morte, or dead leaf, and to the grays has been added ash and plomb.

The soft Roman satins, woven with wool backs, are both lovely and economical, as they wear exceedingly well and require but little trimming. A stunning late winter costume is of ecru broadcloth, the waist made of green silk, draped with ecru chiffon. The combinations of cloth and gauze are passing beautiful.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES

[The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents without holding itself responsible for writers' opinions. Be brief, write plainly, state clearly. The space of 250 words on the average, is sufficient for the point. Wells-written letters are liable to be declined merely on account of their length.]

Vice in Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 26.—[To the Editor of The Times:] The principal grounds upon which the recall of Mayor Harper is urged are two. First, he has protected vice. Second, his appointment of Edward Kern to the office of Commissioner of Public Works. The first charge will be briefly considered in this communication. To what kind of vice do the Mayor's accusers refer? Unquestionably (a) the violation of ordinances and statutes regulating the traffic in intoxicating liquors, (b) to sexual immorality. What proofs do the recallists bring that the Mayor has protected saloon proprietors and others engaged in the sale of intoxicants, or the keepers of brothels or similar places in breaking State statutes and city ordinances?

The so-called proof is mainly this, viz: Certain saloon-keepers, wholesale liquor dealers, proprietors of restaurants holding liquor licenses and business totaling less than fifty persons out of some three hundred and fifty following the occupations mentioned, are interested, as stockholders in legitimate business enterprises in which Mayor Harper is concerned. Therefore, the Mayor's accusers deduce the conclusion that the Mayor protects saloon-keepers and others of the occupations mentioned (who are associated with the Mayor in business) in violating statutes and city ordinances. There is absolutely no connection between the premises and the conclusion. This so-called proof would not for one moment be admitted, as evidence in a civil or criminal court.

The filing of a recall petition is equivalent to an indictment of Mayor Harper. The voters of the city then act as trial jurors at the recall election. Will these jurors, the voters, convict Mayor Harper of having protected vice by casting their ballots for a candidate other than the Mayor, thereby basing their verdicts on alleged proof which is neither logical nor admissible as evidence in any court.

The condition of the city respecting the forms of vice mentioned demonstrates to any fair-minded citizen that liquor dealers and purveyors of lewdness are not protected in violating the law. All men acquainted with the manner in which the liquor traffic is carried on in cities of importance agree that in no city of consequence in the United States is there less infraction of law by liquor dealers than in Los Angeles. There is in this city no sale by saloon-keepers of liquor to minors; no sale after closing hours, no sale on the Sabbath, as is the case with hardly an exception—possibly none—in every other city having as great population as Los Angeles. If liquor dealers violating the law here were protected by the city's chief executive and other officers charged with the execution of the law, it would be utterly impossible that Los Angeles should stand, as she does, the peer of all cities in close surveillance of liquor dealers and strict regulation of their business.

Respecting lewdness, men of travel bear uniform testimony that there is no city with the population of Los Angeles that does not offend good morals far more than does this city. There are no open brothels, no parading of offensive courtesans on the streets. What other city can say as much? Would such be the conditions here were the purveyors of sexual immorality protected by Mayor Harper and other of the city's officers? No! Reflection upon the conditions in the city concerning the liquor traffic and the social evil, will quickly convince any fair-minded man that the cry of protected vice is entirely unfounded.

This being the case, are there not in Los Angeles a sufficient number of courageous business men and other citizens, who shall, by a determined stand, emphatically check the hue and cry of protected vice, which not only unjustly accuses the Mayor of the city, but also befouls the city's fair name?

J. MARGOLIS.

What the Recall Means.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 31.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I write to ask you or your readers what is the matter with Mayor Harper, if anything, that he should be recalled? Did he fail to put the fellows of the "recall" party in office? God bless him. And this town will bless him yet, if he left them not. Did he fail to make an end of vice right where it was before his time and not scatter it all over the city? Then crucify him.

I know what the recall means; it means knockers of the worst class on all street corners all the time, and they give no reason. I say to all, I am for Mayor Harper and the decent name of Los Angeles. J. A. BROWN.

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LOS ANGELES LEADS AGAIN.

The 1908 report of the Comptroller of the Currency discloses the fact that the national banks of Los Angeles lead the national banks of all other reserve cities in the country (except Philadelphia, Cincinnati, New York, Chicago and Indianapolis) in the aggregate ownership of State, city, town, municipal, or district bonds.

Here the chief holdings as of July 15, 1908:

Reserve city.	Bonds held.
New York	$9,082,948
Cincinnati	4,950,517
Chicago	3,598,153
Philadelphia	2,090,404
Indianapolis	1,691,994
Los Angeles	1,596,065
Columbus (Ohio)	1,523,924
Baltimore	1,511,633
San Francisco	1,176,296
Pittsburgh	1,065,572

Inasmuch as the total of such holdings by all the national banks of California was $4,734,394, it follows that the Los Angeles share was about one-third of the whole. Only $15,940 of the Los Angeles holding was reported as being in default.

The Los Angeles national banks also held $1,908,611 worth of railroad and other corporation bonds, part of the total holding of such bonds by all the national banks of the State, which amounted to $4,795,189.

TEACHERS ARE MARRIED.

Hemet Pedagogue Takes to Wife Former Instructress in Riverside School.

Miss Louise Christiana, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Fowler of No. 2819 Griffin avenue, was married Saturday evening to Edward Washington Carmichael of Hemet.

The bride was becomingly attired in a gown of hand-embroidered French Mull over white silk and carried white roses. The maid of honor, Miss Mabel Fowler, wore pale blue silk and carried pink carnations. The best man was Ray Bruce of Hemet. The house was decorated with pepper boughs, and the ceremony was performed under a canopy of smilax, lilies and carnations, from which was suspended a wedding bell of smilax. Rev. Tully C. Knoles of the University of Southern California officiated. The bridal march was played by Miss Nannie Sims and during the supper, which followed the ceremony, Mrs. Lested W. Turner sang.

Mrs. Fowler, the bride's mother, wore a handsome costume of black silk and lace. Only relatives and intimate friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmichael have gone for a short trip. Mr. Carmichael is a teacher at Hemet and his wife taught in a Riverside school for more than a year.

BABY ESCAPES UNHURT.

Father Knocked Down by Motorcycle, Child Just Smiles—Victims in Hospital.

Running at high speed on his motorcycle, A. W. King of Alhambra, late yesterday afternoon, ran down George J. Coleman of No. 717 East Ninth street, at Washington and Hoover streets, and both men were painfully injured. Coleman received severe bruises about the legs. King pitched head foremost from his machine to the pavement and was rendered unconscious, besides suffering cuts about the head.

Coleman had just alighted from a street car and could not avoid King's machine because of a press of vehicles at the corner. He was carrying his little baby of a few months in his arms and when the collision came all three were thrown in a heap, but almost miraculously the babe escaped without a scratch and came out of the mix-up smiling.

Both the men were treated for their injuries at the Receiving Hospital where they were taken in the University station patrol. The motorcycle was considerably damaged.

STOPS AUTOMOBILE.

Little Boy Hurt by Machine and Chauffeur Takes Him to Hospital and Home.

Harry M. Ballinger, the 10-year-old son of W. H. Ballinger, No. 848 Gladys avenue, had a narrow escape from death last evening, when he was run down at Seventh street and Grand avenue by an automobile owned by J. H. W. Meyers, No. 1039 Lake street. The lad was thrown several feet and rendered unconscious, but at the Receiving Hospital examination by the surgeons revealed only body bruises and small cuts about the mouth.

Eye witnesses declare the machine, which was driven by Meyer's chauffeur, was traveling at high speed and ran some distance before it could be stopped. The lad had left his father to run across the street after a bag of peanuts when he was struck. The driver of the car took the injured boy and his parent to the hospital, later taking the boy and father to their home.

NEGRO DANGEROUSLY SHOT.

He and Woman of His Race Tell Different Stories as to How it Happened.

Earnest Ferrill, a negro, 28 years old, was shot through the right lung during a quarrel with Daisy Anderson, a woman of his race, at her home on Azusa street, at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The wounded man says that while they were disputing over some trivial matter, Daisy seized a gun and discharged it accidentally. Her story is that he held the gun and shot himself during a struggle.

The bullet entered Ferrill's right breast and was extracted from his back below the shoulder blade. He was taken to the County Hospital and is believed to have a fair chance to recover.

She Was Willing.

A very demure little French woman, who teaches her native tongue in a well-known southern college, learned recently, under embarrassing circumstances, that it is not always safe to accept as a final standard of correct English what she may casually hear. One night at supper the president of the college announced to the assembled young ladies and teachers that an informal musical programme would be given presently in the college chapel.

Turning to the dainty Parisian, who, in addition to her other accomplishments, plays the piano well, he said: "Perhaps Mme. Petit will be so good as to assist us."

The lady addressed arose, and coyly replied: "I will do my durndest, professeur."—[Lippincott's.

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Dated December 15, 1908.
By order of the Board of Directors.
R. H. BALLARD,
Secretary of The Edison Electric Company.

Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Murphy Oil Company will be held at 701 H. W. Hellman Bldg., 356 South Spring street, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on Tuesday, the 9th day of February, 1909, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year, and also to transact such other business as may be presented for their consideration. J. T. F. RAFFERTY, Secretary. Los Angeles, California, January 8th, 1909.

A WONDROUS NEWSPAPER

Contents of the Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times, Issued Jan. 1st

The publishers here present the table of contents—articles and authors—of the magnificent Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times. It gives a clew to the rich variety and informing nature of the 184 pages of articles and illustrations in the six bound magazines going to make up the annual:

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

PASADENA.

FIVE THOUSAND ROLL IN SNOW.

BY THE CARLOAD PEOPLE RUSH TO THE MOUNTAINS.

Some Spend All Night Climbing the Trail and Breakfast on the Summit—Parson Tells Why People Are Afraid to Kiss—Sacred Concert Attracts the Rich.

Office of The Times, No. 26 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Feb. 1.—Careful estimates made by railway officials and the superintendents of resorts near here show that between 4000 and 5000 people visited the mountains for a frolic in the snow. Early Saturday the crowd began to arrive and late last night the trails were alive with pedestrians. No accidents are reported.

At Alpine Tavern yesterday between 500 and 600 registered, while many took their lunches on the summit of Mount Lowe, where the snow lies deep. At Mount Wilson Hotel 500 dined at noontime and on Saturday night every bed in the camp was occupied. All night long people ascended the trail and many arrived on the summit at daylight.

Girls from the big department stores of Los Angeles, young men clerks carrying lunches and sweaters, tourists from the frozen East who went "up" just to feel how their neighbors are enjoying the blizzard "back home"; many natives who were in the snow for the first time, mingled. There were many snowball fights and on Mount Wilson bobsleds were provided by the hotel company that many enjoyed the novelty of coasting. Many of the weak-hearted and less strong did not reach the summits, but contented themselves with the snowbanks which reach down almost to Orchard's camp on the old trail to Mount Wilson. Those who visited Alpine found snow in quantities just above the tavern. Nine special cars were used to convey the crowd up the mountain in the morning and two went up in the afternoon.

SHAKESPEARE CLUB.

A discussion of the "Penalties of Progress" was the entertaining programme offered to a large audience at the Shakespeare Club house, Saturday afternoon. The committee in charge was composed of Mmes. D. S. Green, C. W. Gates and H. Van Buskirk. Owing to the continued illness of Miss Barnaby, president, Mrs. D. D. Kellogg opened the proceedings and spoke of the disappointment of all because of the inability of Prof. Ritchie to give the illustrated astronomical lecture, but also voiced the appreciation of the officers and committee that Rev. Matt Hughes was secured in his place. "Progress," said Mr. Hughes, "expresses all twentieth century aspirations, and in its name we challenge all literature, all art, all science, and even religion. Everything is in a state of continual progress and change. What do we pay for this advancement? Surely there is a balance on the side of profit. Physical penalties abound in the growth of great modern cities. We are constantly paying penalties in our rushing, strenuous lives. We pay the penalty for using our eyes too much, with artificial light, with fine print. We are losing our sight. The constant jangling discordances of city streets affect our ears. We are losing our hearing. We eat modern soft foods too much. We are losing our teeth. We sit and ride too much. Our legs are getting shorter. We pay penalties as the price of knowing. We get information from the whole world in our daily papers. The whole world comes to our world. But our capacity for knowledge is not increased. Demands are made in this way upon our affections, our emotions, our sympathies. We learn much of the evil, little of the good from the papers, and we waste much nervous force in thus keeping in touch with the world. We pay the price of mechanic progress in our fear of germs. We are afraid to handle money, shake hands, to take books from public libraries, to kiss a friend. Insanity, that curse of the age, is the penalty for modern progress."

Following the business meeting the first Saturday in February a Lincoln memorial will be observed on the 13th inst., with Rev. Jean Frederick Loba as the speaker of the day. A colonial day will make an attractive programme the following Saturday, and the 27th inst. will be devoted to the discussion of Mohammedans, in a lecture "Among the Followers of Mohammet."

SACRED CONCERT.

A fine sacred concert was given in the Romanesque room of Hotel Green last evening by the hotel orchestra under the direction of F. M. de Nubilia.

A large Raymond-Whitcomb party is now en route to Pasadena from Boston, and will reach here February 4, and be at Hotel Green for about ten days. In the party are Mr. and Mrs. William C. Atwood, New York; Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Barrett, Malden, Mass.; Mrs. R. M. Booth, Rochester, N. Y.; Miss Blanche Cary, Mrs. Matilda F. Cary, Brocton, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cole, Fall River, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. William H. Eddleman, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. George J. Foster, Melrose Highlands, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Mirick, Worcester, Mass.; Miss Ruth P. Lord, New York; Miss C. Macy, New York; Miss E. L. Mendel, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Mendel, New York; Hon. and Mrs. George E. Mitchell, Chelsea, Mass.; Miss M. Moffat, New York; Mrs. Franklin Myles, Rochester, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Noyles, Brockton, Mass.; Mrs. William S. Potter, Fall River, Mass.; Mrs. E. Barrett Seavey, Malden, Mass.; Malcolm B. Seavery, Malden, Mass.; Hon. and Mrs. Edgar J. Sherman, Jamaica Plain, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Stuart, Newton, Mass.; Miss Sarah M. Trevor, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Whitley, Providence, R. I.; Mr. and Mrs. William Whitworth, Fall River, Mass.

SHUTOUT GAME.

Pasadena baseball fans saw a shutout game at Raymond Park yesterday afternoon when Parker, in the box for the Pasadena nine, shut out the Edison nine of Los Angeles by a score of 1 to 0. Although Cornett pitched splendidly for the visitors his team failed to support him at the critical period and the winning run was the result. Parker fanned out twelve men, and did not give the visitors a hit off his delivery. Wachob caught for the home team and proved his worth, although he was but this winter drafted from the High School squad. He will probably get a berth in a B class league of the East in the summer.

W. H. Conger, for twenty years a resident of this city, died yesterday morning at his home, No. 235 Cypress avenue. He was nearly 70 years old and moved to this city from the East when it was a village. He leaves a widow. The funeral service will be held at Pierce Bros.' parlors on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Daniel Moeller, a former resident of La Salle, Ill., died at the home of his brother-in-law, George R. Daskman, yesterday morning of heart failure. He had been here about a week.

PASADENA PARAGRAPHS.

Unless $100 is raised today the European band concerts will not continue. Secretary Bertoneau of the Board of Trade is ready to receive donations.

A party of twenty-five from Hotel Maryland yesterday made a trip by special car to Casa Verdugo. A Spanish dinner was served on the return trip.

A large audience was present at the Y.M.C.A. men's meeting yesterday afternoon to hear a stirring address by President Scherer of Throop Institute.

The Men's Club of the First Congregational Church will hold its regular monthly meeting this evening in the church parlors.

The receipts from the book sale at Hotel Maryland Saturday night amounted to nearly $150. It is believed the total receipts for the day, which will go to Pasadena Hospital, will be between $1100 and $1500.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo and bungalows, Pasadena.

Artists' materials at Wadsworth's.

See Phelps for fine wall paper.

Beautiful Chinese embroidery novelties at Grace Nicholson's.

Don't miss the special sale this week at the Rug House.

KILLED CARRYING SHOES.

Pomona Octogenarian Struck by Espee Engine—Probably Became Confused While on Track.

POMONA, Jan. 31.—William Houghton, 84 years old, who lived with his granddaughter at No. 757 West Center street, was instantly killed this morning shortly after 10 o'clock by the Southern Pacific local passenger train coming into Pomona from the Covina branch. The accident occurred near the junction of Orange Grove avenue and the tracks a short distance from Ganesha Park. The old gentleman was walking along carrying his shoes and probably became confused. He is said not to have been deaf, but on account of his age became bewildered at times. The train was stopped and the body brought to Pomona station and taken to Todd's undertaking parlors, where it was identified. Mr. Houghton leaves two daughters, Mrs. J. Houlihan of Chino and Mrs. M. De Greyse of South Pasadena.

Mrs. Carlton Seaver of East Holt avenue has gone to Phoenix, Ariz., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Roy Thomas.

The Shakespeare Club will meet at the home of Mrs. C. R. Hutchings tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, when "Anthony and Cleopatra" will be studied under direction of Miss Alice Parker of Pomona College.

The revival services at the First Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. W. L. Tucker and Mr. Behan, singing evangelist, are proving highly successful and will be continued this week.

SUNDAY EXCITEMENT.

BLAZE SPECTACULAR, BUT LOSS IS SMALL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

POMONA, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] What promised to be one of the costliest fires here for some time was discovered about 5 o'clock this afternoon in the back printing rooms of the Daily Review office on Thomas street, but the prompt action of the local fire company confined the damage to $2500, fully covered by insurance. The flames had gained headway in the Review rooms and were fast spreading when discovered by a boy and the alarm turned in. A paper-folding machine, some presses and a large stock of wood type suffered damage, but a linotype, all the paper, type, forms, stock and office fixtures in the front rooms were uninjured.

A restaurant, several real estate offices, and the Los Angeles Times agency in the same building, were dismantled when it was thought the building was doomed, and some damage was done by water, but all books and accounts were saved. The City Livery Stable joins the back of the Review building, on the west, and when the fire was discovered, several blooded stallions valued at $3000, which were separated from the flames by one brick wall, were quickly taken out. No damage was done to the stable. The fire company was highly commended for efficient work.

TOSS COIN WITH CUPID.

Long Beach Couple Play Head and Tail to Decide Wedding Date.

LONG BEACH, Jan. 31.—John Hall, a rancher from Spokane, came here six weeks ago and found board with Mrs. Eulalie Handley, a comely widow from Wichita, Kan., who has been here three months. The little blind God became active, and according to both bride and groom, yesterday both admitted their affection, and discussing the length of time necessary for courtship, decided to trust to the toss of a coin as to whether the marriage should be at once or later. Heads won for the groom, and this afternoon Rev. Will A. Betts made them husband and wife. After a trip to Kansas to get the bride's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hall will go to their home in Washington.

FATAL ERROR.

MISTAKE COSTS MAN HIS LIFE.

VISITOR AT HERMOSA STEPS IN FRONT OF CAR.

Sustains Fractures of Nearly Every Bone in His Body and Dies Shortly After Being Taken to Los Angeles. Moneta Officer Arrested at Redondo on Woman's Complaint.

REDONDO, Jan. 31.—David E. Skaggs, a resident of Delano, was run over by a car of the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway in charge of Motorman Goff and Conductor DeMonville, this morning at 11:25 o'clock at the Santa Fé avenue crossing in Hermosa, and fatally injured. Skaggs roomed for a few days at 321½ West Second street, Los Angeles, and came to the beach for an outing. After strolling about for awhile along the ocean front he started for a walk in the interior. When he reached the street car track the car that left Redondo at 11:15 had just passed, going into the city, and a train of oil cars had pulled in after it at the power-house side track. Turning south Skaggs began walking along the track, meeting the oil train. The inbound car with Motorman Goff at the controller, due at Redondo at 11:32, was coming in at good speed. Goff saw the man on the other track, and also the approaching oil train, but as Skaggs was facing the latter and had every opportunity to leave the track on the outside, where there was better walking, it did not occur to Goff that he might step over on to the track ahead of his car. This is what Skaggs did, however, and in another instant his body was being pulverized under the foretrucks of the flying passenger car. Goff was able to stop his car within about 100 feet, and Skaggs was taken out and laid alongside the track. He did not entirely lose consciousness, and while being brought to this city conversed with some of the passengers and gave his name and address. On the arrival of the car here, Dr. Hancock made an examination and pronounced the injuries fatal. He sustained a crushed spine, two broken legs, one arm was snapped, his right hip dislocated, besides broken ribs and fracture frontal bone. The indications of internal injury and resulting hemorrhage were also present.

HE BLAMED HIMSELF.

The Los Angeles-Pacific Company furnished a special car and the injured man was taken to Los Angeles in charge of Dr. Hancock and City Marshal Stanchfield, in the hope that something might be done for him at the Receiving Hospital, but he died a few minutes after reaching the city. Passengers on the car do not blame the crew. One stated that the deceased himself spoke of having made a mistake in not looking out more carefully.

Skaggs was 57 years old, and so far as known has no relatives here or in Los Angeles. At the place where he was rooming nothing was known about him, as he had been there but a week. An investigation of his trunk by the Coroner's assistant revealed papers showing him to have been engaged in the real estate business.

ELLINGTON UNDONE.

Deputy Sheriff Ellington from the strawberry metropolis of Moneta made a trip to Redondo yesterday afternoon, bringing with him a mighty thirst, a pocket full of dollars and a bright new star. The combination proved his undoing. The visitor spent a couple of hours in saloons and succeeded in temporarily quenching his thirst. He had displayed his new star and his gun and sheriff's diploma whenever the occasion offered, so that long before he had quit buying booze, his identity was an open secret to everybody, including City Marshal Stanchfield, who began to foresee events. Having satisfied his thirst, Ellington started out in search of new thrills. He went to a number of rooming-houses, but his intoxication was too emphatic, and he was sent on his way. Finally, he applied to Mrs. Carrie Tucker for lodging. Mrs. Tucker is reticent as to what actually took place, but she will tell her story to Justice Thomas tomorrow morning. Mrs. Tucker applied to Marshal Stanchfield, and Ellington was arrested. His bail was subsequently fixed at $100 and he was permitted to return to his home early this morning.

FIRST STEP TOWARD HARBOR.

Believed That Majority of Ocean Park Voters Will Favor Issue of Bonds.

VENICE, Jan. 31.—It seems to be agreed in official circles that at their meeting tomorrow night the Ocean Park Trustees will make the call for a bond election. The opposition that developed during the week faded away when the Trustees announced their decision to call the election. They had voted against it and a meeting was arranged to protest because no action was to be taken to clear up the sewer situation and provide a permanent outfall. Present plans are for an issue of $75,000. The pier is to be extended for a distance of 1500 feet from the Kinney breakwater.

There is still some objection to the amount of money proposed to be expended, but as the proposed pier is to provide pleasure and shipping facilities the general belief is that the majority of the voters will favor the improvement. They look upon it as the first step toward making Venice a harbor. The pier is to be of either reinforced concrete piles or wooden ones encased in concrete jackets.

SOUTH PASADENA.

SOUTH PASADENA, Jan. 31.—Mrs. A. Jackson, who resides just south of the Oaklawn bridge on Fair Oaks avenue, has retained lawyers to bring suit against the city of South Pasadena for damages to her house when the conduit broke during the last storm. The cellar was filled with water, the foundation partly gave way, and on account of settling, the plaster cracked in the rooms. She estimates her damage at $1000.

The girls' basketball team of the High School will meet the Los Angeles High on the local grounds tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

A minstrel show is to be given in the Mineral Park Rink tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Lincoln Park Improvement Association.

On the recommendation of the Library Board the trustees have appointed County Treasurer Hunt, No. 1200 Lyndon street, as a member in the place of the Late Merton E. Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sweet have moved into their new bungalow, No. 1118 Stratford avenue.

LEWIS'S Single Binder, the famous straight 5c cigar, always best quality.

WEEDLESS WAYS.

MOVE FENCES, SAVE ACRES.

NEW EPOCH IS MARKED BY COMPTON RANCHMEN.

Coiled and Stored Is the Barbed Wire, While the Posts and Stakes Go to Woodpiles and Refuse Lumber Heaps—Notable Improvement in Appearance of the Fields.

COMPTON, Jan. 31.—Clearing away of their fences by a good many of the husbandmen about here marks a new epoch in local history. The fence era is passing, so these ranchmen think, and the long strings of barbed wire are being coiled and put in storage in the rear of the barn, while the stakes and boards go to the lumber heap and to the woodpile.

A decided improvement is noted in the appearance of the fields from which the erected barriers have been removed. Weeds find no protection now as they did where there were posts and stakes and wire. The farmers figure that with lands valued well up in the hundreds of dollars per acre the loss in cultivated area by reason of the fences and the cost of maintenance of fencing reduce considerably and unnecessarily the net profits of their ranches. The removal of fences along the roadways makes it possible to cultivate well out toward the beaten track. This item alone adds a good deal to the income-producing acreage.

RELICS OF EARLY DAYS.

In the early days when live stock was herded hereabouts the ranchmen who acquired modest acreages for tilling instead of grazing, found it almost a necessity to put up something along their boundaries that would keep the herded animals from their cultivated fields. So the fences grew and multiplied.

Now the situation has radically changed. The "Bossy" of these days is much domesticated. Seldom does she break her accustomed bounds, and so a man need make little or no effort to keep the neighbor's cows from his beet field or apple or pear orchard. Of late years the number of cows kept in this community has been much reduced. This condition calls for fewer pastures. So it develops that the rancher who disposes of his own herd has no further need to fence in his cows and finds less and less reason for fencing out the bovines of his neighbors.

Residents here are hoping to see work begin soon on the county boulevard between Los Angeles and Long Beach.

Beet seeding in the Compton fields has been almost a standstill for three weeks on account of the rains, but many plows are now in action, and, unless there should be another storm, much of the land will be seeded within a short time.

Ranchers who have an eye out for gopher signs say that the ground near here is now thoroughly soaked. The dirt which the gophers throw out from their holes now is wet. That which they threw out before the last rain was dry.

SAVED.

ROB DEATH AND SEA OF PREY.

TOURISTS SAVE SICK WOMAN FROM DROWNING.

Los Angeles Patient Escapes from Nurse, Goes to Ocean Park, Wades Into the Ocean, Is Swept Into the Breakers, and Rescued by Two Men from Cincinnati.

OCEAN PARK, Jan. 31.—Death and the ocean were robbed of victory this morning when Mark Gleason and W. M. Cosgrove, seaside tourists from Cincinnati, Ohio, plunged into the breakers and rescued Mrs. L. Brierly of Los Angeles, as she was going under the water for what would no doubt have proven the last time.

At the time of the rescue, officers from one end of the beach to the other were searching for the woman, who was ill, and, escaping the vigilance of her nurse, had taken a car for the beach. It was known that she was suicidal and that if alone there was every reason to believe she would seek to drown herself. She arrived at the seashore ahead of the telephonic description of her, and at once waded into the sea. Those who observed her thought her movements queer, but before she could be stopped she was floundering in deep water. The waves were tossing her about in lively fashion when the rescuers waded into the water to save her. Twice the breakers had carried her under, but they were ready for the next white cap and as it lifted her they were successful in grasping her clothing and carrying her to the shore.

The unfortunate woman, who is about 60 years of age, was given prompt medical attention and returned to Los Angeles by automobile.

VISITS SMOKING MOUNT.

Curious Crowd from City Journeys to Port Los Angeles to Feel the Heat.

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 31.—The county road leading up the beach was a well traveled highway this afternoon, and it was a curious crowd that wended its way to the little camp a mile beyond Port Los Angeles. Everybody was anxious to see a mountain emitting smoke, steam and sulphurous fumes, and all wanted to feel the subterranean heat and satisfy themselves, each in his own way, that the fire was coming from below. Of this fact there was tangible evidence everywhere about the smoking peak. The rocks, shale and earth of the promontory were found to be thoroughly heated, and those who scraped the earth away found to their satisfaction that the deeper they dug the greater was the degree of heat and the stronger the fumes of the smoke. Rocks in the vicinity are heated through and through, while from a thousand seams and cracks an oily substance is oozing.

There were those present who advanced the theory that the present agitation has remote connection with the recent upheaval in Italy, but perhaps the logical explanation is to be found in the fact that the heat results from the firing of the lime by the percolating waters of the recent rainstorms. The presence of petroleum product is proof that there is oil in the immediate vicinity, and there is renewed talk of sinking a trial well near the smoking mount. The hill and broken acreage in the immediate vicinity of the burning hill is owned by Robert F. Jones of Los Angeles.

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The Cincinnati Times-Star says: "Let us introduce the 'Wild Widow.' She comes from England, where Paul of 'Three Weeks' lived. Gertie De S. Wentworth-James is the authoress. It is frankly an unusual story that comes perilously near the jumping-off place into the realm of unclad and virgin realism. It is passionate, palpitating and ingenious. The plot is unusual and the English readers liked it much."

The Milwaukee Free Press says: "'The Wild Widow' is well named. Katherine Orilton, with her striking looks and red hair, is the adventuress of imagination and originality. Her friend, Honora, was one of the true feminine type. Katherine being one of whom it was sure to be said that the gray mare was the better horse. Between them these ladies contrive to juggle with some of the deadly sins and to fracture several of the commandments, and when at last it turns out that none of the ten is broken beyond repair, nobody will be more justly surprised than the reader of this extraordinary tale."

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BIG PEARLS ON NECK OF DEAD.

IMMENSE JEWELS RATTLE ON ISLAND SKELETON.

Thirteen of 'Em, the Size of Walnuts, but Somewhat Decomposed, Are Dug up at San Nicholas Along With Bones of Indians—They Came from Extinct Red Abalone.

LONG BEACH, Jan. 31.—C. B. Linton of this city, who has spent several years in the study of archaeology and ornithology, has just returned from a month's exploration of San Nicholas Island. Although nominally his object was the gathering of shells and fauna, he also had a curiosity to solve the mystery of the disposal of the pearls, which he judged were found in large numbers in the red abalone. This now extinct shellfish once formed the major part of the food of the Indians who formerly inhabited the San Nicholas group. After weeks of fruitless search over desert hills and sand wastes, he, by accident, found his quest. While prospecting the sand dunes near the western extremity of the island, he noted a bright spot in one of the mounds. Investigating he found it to be the back portion of a human skull. After an hour's excavation with a knife, he found a cliff Indian skeleton, face down, and with arms and legs drawn up beneath the trunk. Linton and two assistants made further excavations and during the next three days uncovered nineteen skeletons. In the center was what he judges to be the remains of a chief, because of the care taken in his burial and the number and value of the decorations. On the top of the skull was the major portion of another skull. On the center of the back were two large spears laid crosswise and several stone rings. Near his feet were five bone daggers, and a bone implement of some kind.

Around the neck, however, was the greatest find. Among the large and small stones and shell pendants were buried thirteen immense pearls, each one with a small hole drilled in the smaller end for stringing. These average the size of an English walnut, and if freshly taken from the shells would be worth easily $3500. As it is they are valuable only as archaeological specimens, as they are somewhat decomposed, though still retaining some of their luster. Below the face and breast of the chief were found numerous tiny shell beads and a quantity of wampum. Most of the skull bore evidences of being crushed and broken, and Mr. Linton believes the remains are those of a chief and his warriors, who are reputed to have been killed by sealers over 100 years ago. All of the curios were brought home by Mr. Linton, and will be presented to the Los Angeles society, of which he is an active member.

LOSES LEFT HAND.

Charles Sharp, a prominent business man of Tonopah, who is visiting here, had a portion of his left hand amputated yesterday. An injury developed serious complications, and the operation was necessary to save the arm.

Forty men and thirty teams began work today grading for a double track along Seventh street, under the franchise purchased by the Pacific Electric Railway over a year ago. The road will run east to Alamitos avenue, and will open up a thickly settled territory. Extending west it will form the southern end of the road to Wilmington.

WILLING TO CUT PRICE.

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City License Collector Malcom has recommended to the Council several changes in the license ordinance, the chief of which is the classifying of all business under one general head of merchandise and making an equal occupation tax. At present there is a wide divergence in some of the license rates. He thinks the changes would wipe out much of the dissatisfaction which now exists.

DEBATE ON MIRACLES.

Dr. H. S. Tanner of forty-day fast fame and Rev. J. W. Perkins today held the first of three debates at the auditorium on the subject of miracles. Mr. Tanner contended that wireless telegraphy, aërial navigation, extended catalepsy and unusual musical ability in children are to be classed as miraculous, which Mr. Perkins refuted.

Clouds and showers ruled this morning, but after noon the sun came out and so did thousands of tourists. The pier and beach were black with humanity and an estimate of 15,000 would not be too high.

SPOUTING PUZZLES THEM.

Artesia Wells Throw Greatly Increased Amount of Water and Ranchers Wonder Why.

ARTESIA, Jan. 31.—The artesian wells of this basin are throwing a greatly increased amount of water this winter, especially since the last storm.

Nearly every well in the basin is spouting at an enormous rate, and many ranchers are puzzled in trying to get rid of the water. Wells that have always been considered perfectly safe with a six-foot pipe on top, are now throwing water over the tops of the pipes, and wells that have not flowed for years are bubbling and gushing over their rims. The wells that have been dug into the third strata will throw water twenty feet in the air and the deep, twelve-inch wells are flowing as much as 125 miner's inches.

Old-timers say the wells in the Artesia basin never stop flowing entirely, but every few years seem to increase their efforts. Many wells here are now spouting more water than they did when first dug. Not a few of these are in the 150-foot stratn.

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The Spanish Club met last night with Hugh Cleminson. It numbers twenty members. A Spanish play will be given in March.

A delegation of ladies composed of Mrs. F. Baker, Myra Drake, Junie S. Farrington, Vena Slack, and A. F. Snell, from the Shakespeare Club, attended the Hanford performance of "Much Ado About Nothing" at the Majestic on Wednesday. The club is studying this play, and an interesting session was held Friday.

The music section of the Woman's Club met at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Sappington, Friday evening. Haydn was the composer discussed. Mrs. King had prepared an interesting biography.

Miss Ella Wynstanley, a student friend of Miss Katherine Asher at U. S. C., was the guest of the latter today.

Dr. and Mrs. T. Powell and Miss Flos Pond of No. 1412 Girard street, are guests of Prof. Farrington. The ladies are sisters of Mrs. Farrington.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Quinn have as their guest their nephew, Frank Van Treese, of San Francisco, who came south to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Van Trees.

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SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 31.—Riverside and San Bernardino counties are threatened with a serious invasion of Hindus. One hundred of these people have been brought into this section to compete with Japanese orange pickers, and have found employment in the vicinity of Highgrove. Every member of the colony wears native dress and the leader is a man of education, who speaks English fluently.

When questioned, he replied with a smile: "We're here because we're here." Later he said that his people are anxious to escape from a land of oppression and that many hundreds of them are coming to the United States.

The Japanese are not pleased by the arrival of the Hindus, but no serious demonstrations have taken place so far.

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BUILDING RECORD.

The building record for the month of January shows that permits have been issued representing an investment of $28,650. Improvements have been general all over the city. The C-street Improvement Club has adopted a resolution requesting owners of vacant property along that street to place a building restriction of $2000 in the deed of each residence lot sold hereafter.

PALO VERDE NEWS.

Troubles Between Settlers and Water Company Far from Being Settled. Neighbors Notes.

NEIGHBORS, Jan. 31.—The troubles between the settlers on government land and the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company are far from being settled. The company demands $12 an acre for water stock, payable in three years, and each settler must buy for all the land he owns at once. This is too much for those who own 320 acres, as many do here who homesteaded and took desert claims also. Without a railroad and a market all say it means a confiscation of their land and they will leave the valley rather than submit to it. Some have left and others are preparing to depart. Another irksome demand is that the water stock is to be taxed for maintenance, enlargement of system and the levee system which holds back the overflow from the lower end.

Fred Myers has left the valley to reside in Long Beach.

George Kelsey is spending two weeks "inside," that is in Los Angeles. He has developed a good place with the aid of a pumping plant. He left the valley on horseback and followed the old San Bernardino trail to Pomona.

Scarcely a day passes that teams are not seen passing through the valley having driven all the way across the desert.

Jesse I. Bodkin has been recommended as the new postmaster at Neighbours (Colorado City.) The office will be fitted out in the new store now under construction by the Colorado City Mercantile Company, of which Mr. Bodkin is a member.

There are 20,000 acres of land in the valley for which people have received, or are about to receive, patents from the United States government. This is outside that owned by the Palo Verde Land and Water Company, and does not fully represent all the land settled upon.

The Palo Verde Mutual Water Company is engaged in enlarging the ditches to accommodate settlers who are opening up new ranches.

Miss Reed, teacher of the Palo Verde school, entertained her pupils last evening.

SCHOOLMA'AM ARRESTED.

Anaheim Teacher Charged With Unreasonably Chastising Student. Directors Elected.

ANAHEIM, Jan. 31.—One of the lady teachers of the grammar school was arrested on a battery complaint yesterday, charged with unreasonably chastising a student. The case was set for next Thursday, and the defendant demanded a jury trial, but it was said this afternoon that the matter will probably be settled out of court.

NEW OFFICERS.

These directors of the Chamber of Commerce were elected last night: A. A. Mills, George Ross, E. Angell, H. Weisel. The hold-over directors are Dr. Wicket, A. Thomas and Mr. Dietrich. The chamber now has a larger membership than ever before, and is doing much to build up the city.

QUEER INCIDENT.

As the conductor was taking up tickets just after the midnight train left Los Angeles for San Diego he came to a bright-looking boy, about 12 years of age, who was standing in the end of the rear day coach. The lad had no ticket. A man about 50 years of age and who was wearing eyeglasses occupied a seat in front of the boy, and said to the conductor: "That boy is trying to follow me to San Diego, and I will not pay his fare." The train was stopped at Rivera and the conductor made the lad get off there at 12:30 a.m. The boy did not make any statement.

NO QUORUM.

As there was no quorum at the annual meeting of the Anaheim Union Water Company today, the present board of directors will hold over another year. Only a few hundred shares were represented out of a total of 800.

IMPERIAL VALLEY.

HONEY HOUSE TO BE BUILT.

NEW WAREHOUSE FOR THE BEE-KEEPERS' ASSOCIATION.

Structure at El Centro Will Have Storage Capacity of Eight Carloads. Water Struck at Ten Feet on Desert Claim at Coyote Wells—Large Cantaloupe Acreage Contracted for.

EL CENTRO, Jan. 31.—The Imperial Valley Beekeepers' Association held its quarterly meeting in El Centro last week, and decided to proceed at once with the construction of a honey warehouse in this city. The building will have a storage capacity of eight carloads of honey. The association has sent out fifteen carloads of honey since its organization last spring.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Participants in the contest of local tennis players for the El Centro championship, in a series of games played last week, were Mrs. Low, Mrs. Antonio Scarpa, Mrs. C. E. Sprouse, Mrs. F. W. Peterson and Mrs. F. W. Putman. Mrs. Peterson won the championship and is to represent El Centro on the local courts in a contest with the champion of the Heber-Calexico games, February 5.

IMPERIAL VALLEY WEDDINGS.

Harry E. Lewis of Calexico and Alice Bostram of Los Angeles were married at the El Centro Methodist parsonage by Rev. D. K. Burnham, January 27. Elmer Marvin Davis and Mary B. Wales of El Centro, were married in Imperial, by Rev. Mott Mitchell on January 21. They have gone to Los Angeles to reside. Robert Roy Robson and Edith May Wolfson were married in El Centro by Judge Cole on January 25.

WATER AT TEN FEET.

L. Meredith has struck water at a depth of ten feet on his desert claim at Coyote Wells. He will establish a general store there.

CHURCH ENLARGED.

The El Centro Methodist Church edifice has been enlarged, and even with this change the congregation cannot be accommodated. Plans are being matured for the erection of a large modern structure.

CANTALOUPE ACREAGE.

Field men for the commission houses state that they believe the cantaloupe acreage in Imperial Valley this season will reach 5000 acres. In the immediate vicinity of El Centro more than 500 acres have been contracted for by the H. Woods Company of Chicago. Contracts have been signed at various valley points for the handling of fully 3500 acres, and it is believed this will be swelled until it passes the 5000-acre point.

SELLS ALFALFA RANCH.

Frank Sokel has sold his eighty-acre alfalfa ranch, southeast of town, to S. H. Reed for $10,000, or $125 per acre.

Bishop Conaty has provided for the building of a new Catholic Church on the Yuma Indian reservation, in Imperial county, along the Colorado River.

WILL OFFER FREE SITE.

Anaheim Anxious to Get New Twenty-five-Thousand-Dollar Industry Located There.

ANAHEIM, Jan. 31.—Louis Domecq has exchanged his ten-acre place at Artesia for fourteen lots in the Broadway tract in this city.

John Stankey has sold a four-acre improved place east of town to Mrs. S. A. Gilbert of Garden Grove, for $2000.

Andrew Brower has sold his seventeen-acre unimproved tract at the corner of East street to G. W. Pennington for $2200. The property will be set to oranges.

Isaac Clemons and Peter Trudeau are considering the matter of starting a large tannery either here or at Santa Ana. Anaheim will probably offer a site free of charge with the understanding that a $25,000 business is located on it.

The engagement of Miss Helen Klassen to Gerhard Schmidt is announced. The wedding will take place February 7.

V. L. Stewart, who has been City Engineer of Anaheim and Fullerton for some time, will leave soon for Okanogan, Wts., to reside.

W. M. and J. H. Kincaid will leave this week for Grant's Pass, Or., to go into business.

Miss Zolia Smythe has gone to Coachella to visit her brothers, David and John Smythe.

JUMPS TOO SOON.

Calexico Man Painfully Injured at Colton by Falling Off Fast-Moving Train.

COLTON, Jan. 31.—Burley Sears of Calexico sustained painful injuries about the head and face and a wrenched back today by jumping off a Salt Lake train bound for Riverside. He was taken to the Colton Hospital, where Dr. J. A. Champion dressed his wounds. Sears had purchased a round-trip ticket to Riverside over the Southern Pacific, and by mistake took the Salt Lake train. Discovering his error after the train had attained good speed, he attempted to get off, and fell.

Mrs. A. V. Huntoon is seriously ill at her home on Ninth street.

Van Bagley is a guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. Clifford Jewell of Redlands.

VENTURA.

VENTURA, Jan. 31.—Coroner Beckley is getting impatient at the delay in getting the four bodies out of the landslide at Benham on the Coast road. It is stated that nothing whatever has been done, though the Coroner has gone daily to Benham to hold an inquest. The railroad company is expending its energy in moving trains.

Mrs. Robert Cook has been elected to take the place of Miss Eta Ayers, the teacher who resigned.

The father of W. F. Bradley, who was killed in the Benham landslide, has wired the Coroner to have the body, when recovered, shipped to Nova Scotia.

WPORT.

NEWPORT, Jan. 31.—J. A. Green returned today from Santa Ana.

Miss Ethel Sharpe returned Saturday after a visit with Los Angeles friends.

Lew Wallace, cashier of the State Bank, has left for Sacramento to confer with Assemblyman Melrose, and represent Newport in the fight against the game preserve of Upper Newport Bay.

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TOURISTS HAVE POCKET PAINS.

"SHARKS" ARE FLEECING 'EM AT TIA JUANA.

San Diego Police Unable to Afford Protection—Railroad Management Issues Warning—Detectives Think Woman Shot Brother-in-Law Through Jealousy.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 31.—Tia Juana is overrun with "tourist sharks" and the railroad management has issued a warning. San Diego at present is entertaining hundreds of tourists and each day trainloads of them go to the Mexican town. "Sharks" board each train and pick out their victims on the ride down. Their operations consist of everything from a "straight racing tip" down to "mining stocks on the ground floor," and all "sure-thing" games from the pea under the shell to faro and roulette.

So great have become the losses of visitors that some plan for their protection will be devised. One easterner complained yesterday that he was fleeced out of $200 before he had been in Tia Juana fifteen minutes.

A gang of sharpers, known to the police of many large cities, is busy there this winter. The leader is said to be "Johnny the Rat."

The local police can do nothing to protect tourists except when some depredation is committed within the city limits.

JEALOUSY THE THEORY.

That another woman is the cause of the shooting of Bruce Sheffler by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Effie Duden, is the theory upon which detectives in the employ of the District Attorney are working. Information, it is said, has been furnished these officers that Sheffler, whose wife died last February, kept company with the daughter of a prominent business man and that they were about to become engaged. Mrs. Duden is said to have been extremely fond of Sheffler and jealousy may have caused her to kill him. She refuses to make any statement.

W. R. George, founder of the George Junior Republic, will deliver a series of lectures in this city in February under the auspices of the Outlook Club.

GUILTY OF MURDER.

Florencio Vargas, who shot and killed Angelo Buffell in a saloon on Christmas Day, was yesterday found guilty of murder in the first degree, the jury recommending imprisonment for life. Vargas will be sentenced February 8.

The trial of William Morse for killing an Indian on the Wilson ranch, in Lower California, will be begun at Ensenada next week. Theodore Van Tyne Johnston, a New York broker and friend of Morse, will look after his defense.

TO TAKE OFF BOAT.

After next week transportation between this point and Ensenada will be difficult as the steamer St. Denis has been sold to a northern company and will be taken to Seattle. The only means of travel left is by automobile.

BALBOA.

BALBOA, Jan. 31.—On February 20 the stockholders of the Newport Bay Investment Company will hold a meeting to consider the payment of a dividend.

Mrs. Flora Miller and daughter, Miss Hazel, of Los Angeles, were guests, today, of Fred W. Beckwith.

Beach folk, to the number of about one hundred, were guests at a mid-winter hop at the pavilion last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Noel of Los Angeles are occupying their Bay-avenue bungalow.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Barrowffrench and two sons arrived, yesterday, from Los Angeles and will spend a fortnight at Corona del Mar.

Port Orange (in days past known as Old Newport) is not to return into the possession of James Irvine. Franklin Johnson, the secretary of the Balboa Heights Land and Water Company, has purchased the property.

EAST NEWPORT.

EAST NEWPORT, Jan. 31.—The stockholders of the Bay Island Club will hold a special meeting at the clubhouse on March 13, to consider increasing the capital stock.

Miss Belle Wright is stopping at the beach.

BURGLAR SURPRISED.

Man and Wife Return to Find House Being Ransacked—Intruder Escapes—No Clew.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Porter of No. 3216 Seventh avenue, on returning to their home early last evening, surprised a burglar ransacking the residence. Before they could obtain a glimpse of the intruder he made his escape through a window. He secured a watch and $3 in money.

As Mr. Porter entered the house he heard some one moving about, and noticed that the front rooms were in disorder. The sounds came from a bedroom, but as Porter entered it, the burglar made his exit.

Officers were summoned, but obtained no clew.

LIMITED NUMBER.

Four Thousand Only Will Be Admitted to Lincoln Centenary at His Birthplace.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) Jan. 31.—Only the number of people who can be crowded into a big tent, 4000 in all, will be admitted to the exercises in celebration of the centenary of President Lincoln's birth, on April 12, at Hodgeville, Ky. President Roosevelt, Cardinal Gibbons, Ambassadors Bryce and Jusserand, and Senator Dolliver and former Gov. Folk will make addresses.

The corner-stone of the memorial hall is to be laid by the President.

MORE PRISONERS REFORM.

Fourteen Sign Pledge at Murphy Temperance Meeting—Audience Told of Love's Power.

Twenty-three new pledge signers were received by William J. Murphy, yesterday, and fourteen of them are prisoners at the city workhouse. This brings the total number of signers for the last three weeks up to 149.

William J. Murphy and Thomas Murphy addressed a large audience, last evening, at the gospel temperance meeting in Blanchard Hall. Francis Murphy sang the solo, "Saved by His Grace," with much power and pathos. Following is the address of Thomas Murphy, in part:

"The church has taught the world to cry out that Christ died for us, but it is time now to realise that He lives for us. Give us life, love, sunshine and hope by love and we will have willing hearts to do and become. Thousands of men are living their hell today and every day. We who are strong and happy of heart and living close to the infinite life should lighten their burden by our personal interest and by extending the hand of brotherly affection. Men reel and stagger hopelessly under the influence of intoxicants and drugs. We point them out and oftimes in ridicule hurriedly pass them by. We should tarry for our afflicted, blind brother. That is the law of God.

"We notice in the humble struggling missions many with bowed head at the altar who are being saved. Aye, the unfortunate of the world—they cry for a small pittance to give strength and nourishment and a place of rest for the night, which is denied them. That would keep them from starving and from breaking the law. We send missionaries and millions to foreign lands, one-half of which should be kept at home.

"This present day is an age in which evil will be overcome by love, for we are growing daily to know of our truer selves—by quiet thought and education to silent communion with God. People want love, the wondrous love of the Master. This alone will overcome the desire for drink and all evil and give the world happiness and peace to the restless heart."

AMERICAN FLAG WAVES.

Jewish Orphans' Home Dedicated With Impressive Ceremonies as Step in Good Work.

With impressive ceremonies, the Jewish Orphans' Home of Southern California, was dedicated yesterday afternoon. The building is on Macy street, and at present has about seventeen inmates. There are accommodations for fifty children.

Several hundred persons were present when D. A. Hamburger, president of the day, opened the exercises by an address. He referred to the splendid charity, and stated that there was no work productive of more good than that among children.

Prayer was offered by Rev. M. A. Alter of Beth Israel. S. G. Marchutz, president of the Orphans' Home, followed with an address. Mayor Harper spoke briefly of the generosity of the donors to the fund, which made it possible to erect the home. Rev. Dr. Isidore Myers was to have spoken, but he was unavoidably absent. Mrs. B. Baruch, Irvine Metzler, president of the Los Angeles Lodge, B'nai B'rith, and Rev. Dr. Sigmond Hecht of B'nai B'rith, gave brief addresses.

An American flag was then presented by Miss Lillian M. Kahn. After it was unfurled to the breeze, the little children chanted a Jewish prayer. Music was rendered by a quartette.

EIGHT DIE IN WRECK.

SKAGEN (Denmark) Jan. 31.—The Norwegian brig Steed was wrecked off Jutland and eight of her crew perished.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Children's Night.

The Sunday-school children of St. Agnes Church will give a cantata this evening at the Gamut Club, No. 1044 South Hope street.

Struck by Car.

L. G. Good, 62 years of age, of No. 615 East Fourth street, was hit by a street car at Twenty-third and San Pedro streets early last evening, receiving severe contusions about the chest. He was treated at the Receiving Hospital.

Hospital Banquet.

The internes at the County Hospital gave a six-course banquet Saturday night, in the dining-room of their quarters at that institution, in honor of John M. Dunsmore, assistant superintendent, and Arthur Hebbard, steward, who are leaving the hospital, to be succeeded respectively by Theodore Finley and Robert Hayhurst.

Sad Sunday Quarrel.

Mrs. Hattie Wilson of No. 516 West First street was treated at the Receiving Hospital yesterday for injuries received during a quarrel with her husband. She is housekeeper at the Edith Apartments where she lives, and says that her husband beat her. Her forehead was severely contused and she had a laceration on the left cheek.

Leave Today.

The Walla Walla party, which has been in the city for the past week, is scheduled to leave today for the North. The members have been unfortunate in experiencing rainy weather ever since their arrival in the State. They were delayed several days at Santa Barbara on account of a washout and their itinerary has been otherwise altered on account of storms.

Bachelor Dinner.

A "last call for dinner in the dining car" has been issued by the committee in charge of the dinner to Leo Valtus Youngworth, United States Marshal, on the night of February 16. The committee is anxious to complete the list of guests at an early date as all those present will have their names inscribed on souvenir menu cards. Postmaster Flint, chairman, states that there will be a large gathering to do honor to Mr. Youngworth's bachelor dinner.

BREVITIES.

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AFTER LONG ILLNESS.

Chicago Business Man Dies at Local Hotel—Body to Be Shipped East.

Harry S. Farwell of Chicago died at the Lankershim Hotel Saturday, after a painful illness of several years. The immediate cause of death was heart failure. For many years he occupied a responsible position with the John V. Farwell Company of Chicago.

He leaves a father, Simeon Farwell, now passing the winter in Florida; a sister, Mrs. Martin M. Gridley of Evanston, Ill., and an aunt, Mrs. E. W. Edson of this city.

A private service will be held Wednesday at 2 o'clock at No. 1213 South Figueroa street. The remains will be sent to Chicago for interment.

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Art, Music and the Drama, as found represented in Los Angeles, receive due attention in the Midwinter Number of The Times.

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Tons of literature relative to this city and surrounding sections are being distributed broadcast throughout the East, in anticipation of the Elks' convention in July. An attractive booklet, issued by the Salt Lake Railroad, is being mailed to prominent Elks by M. H. Flint, chairman of the executive committee.

"These booklets give a good idea of the many attractions here," said Mr. Flint, "and will serve to stimulate interest in this section. As a purely advertising feature for Los Angeles this wholesale distribution of literature will accomplish much good. I am receiving inquiries by every mail regarding California. Aside from being the biggest thing in the way of entertainment ever seen here, Elks' week will bring many people here who will become permanent residents."

The question of excursion rates to the convention will arise at the meeting of the Transcontinental Passenger Association at Chicago, Wednesday. Western roads have agreed upon a round trip rate from Chicago to Los Angeles of $62.50 and $50 from Missouri points. It is expected that these rates will be ratified at the meeting.

This week, authorized representatives of the local lodge of Elks will begin a canvass for subscriptions among business and professional men. The lodge raised about $30,000 by its "Harvest Festival," but it is asserted that at least $100,000 will be needed to cover all the expenses incident to the carnivals, parades and athletic exhibitions.

As the merchants and hotel men will largely profit from the advent of from 50,000 to 75,000 visitors, the executive committee believes that it will be easy to obtain generous contributions. The Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association indorses the movement.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gibson Cox of Cincinnati, O., are passing a few days in the city, guests at the Angelus.

John A. Bunting, a prominent oil operator of Coalinga, is in the city on business. He is registered at the Angelus.

S. R. Griswold, Miss Blanche Griswold and Mrs. S. L. James of Carthage, Mo., form a party, registered at the Lankershim.

Mr. and Mrs. Griener of Salt Lake are guests at the Hayward. Mr. Griener is passenger agent for the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad.

Miss Florence Roberts, the actress, and her maid, are registered at the Alexandria. John G. Sheehy, manager for Miss Roberts, is at the Hayward.

John Singleton, who formerly made his home in this city, and now of Randsburg, is passing a few days in Los Angeles, a guest at the Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter of Boston, Mass., E. S. Hooper of Denver and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brockway of Hartford, Ct., are late arrivals at the Lankershim.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Muller of New York City are here for a two weeks' visit. They are at the Lankershim. Mr. Muller is one of the largest importing and manufacturing furriers in the country.

Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Underwood of Korea, will participate in the exercises at the Woman's Presbyterian Missionary Association meeting to be held at Emmanuel Presbyterian Church today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Kennedy of Stockton, Mrs. Olga Seaborg of Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. James Elwood of Portland and Mrs. John S. Richards and party of Erie, Pa., are registered at the Van Nuys.

O. A. Leach of Wachteton, N. D., are here for a two weeks' visit, the headquarters of the firm of Leach & Gamble, with a branch in Los Angeles, wholesale fruit dealers, is visiting his partner, D. M. Gamble of No. 708 Hartford avenue. He will visit various points on the Coast during the winter.

VITAL RECORD — BIRTHS. DEATHS. MARRIAGES. DIVORCE.

Deaths.

LANDMEIER. In this city, Jan. 29, Sophia Landmeier, aged 77 years. Funeral service from residence, 1134 E. 45th st., Monday, Feb. 1, at 1 o'clock p.m. Interment Inglewood Park Cemetery.

HILL. Walter Lorimer Hill, aged 28 years. Funeral today at 10 o'clock from Sutch's funeral chapel, 942 Figueroa street.

FIREBAUGH. At 131 South Griffin avenue, January 30, 1909, Anna Firebaugh, beloved wife of J. A. Firebaugh, a native of California, aged 42 years. Funeral from late residence, 131 South Griffin avenue, Monday, 2 p.m. Friends invited to attend. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

VEDDER. At Monrovia, Cal., January 26, 1909, Jessie Munn Vedder, aged 34 years 4 months 14 days, wife of A. C. Vedder, sister of A. T. Munn and Mrs. James V. Baldwin. Funeral services will be held at residence of Mrs. James V. Baldwin, 2107 South Union avenue, Tuesday at 2 o'clock. Remains at Bresee Bros. Interment, Rosedale.

SMITH. In this city, January 30, 1909, Joseph Gaylord Smith, aged 75 years. Remains at Bresee Bros. Interment, Watertown, N. Y.

LEON. In this city, January 30, 1909, Lillian Leon, aged 11 years. Remains at Bresee Bros.

SKAGGS. In this city, January 31, 1909, D. E. Skaggs. Remains at Bresee Bros.

PHILLIPS. In this city, January 30, 1909, Nicholas Phillips, aged 63 years. Funeral services will be held at chapel of Bresee Bros., 855 South Figueroa street, Tuesday at 10 a.m.

MOORE. At 4226 South Olive street, January 30, 1909, Elisa Moore, aged 83 years. Remains at Bresee Bros. Interment, Bay City, Mich.

HUNTER. At 1138 East Twenty-seventh street, January 30, 1909, Samuel Hunter, aged 65 years. Remains at Bresee Bros. Funeral services will be held at church, corner Twenty-ninth and Paloma, Monday at 2 p.m.

SNYDER. In this city, January 28, 1909, Park Le Roy Snyder, aged 18 years. Remains at Bresee Bros.' chapel, 855 Figueroa. Funeral notice later.

DOUGLASS. Laura E., died at Tucson, Ariz., January 30. Interment, Tucson, Ariz., Tuesday, February 2.

GARDNER. Benjamin F. Gardner, aged 59 years 5 months 5 days, native of Sangerfield, Oneida county, New York. Funeral services held at Connell's undertaking establishment, corner Eleventh and Grand avenue, on Tuesday, February 2, 1909, at 2 p.m. Friends invited.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of the late Thomas A. Ryles will be held from the funeral parlors of Pierce Bros., 310 South Flower street, Tuesday morning, February 2, at 11 o'clock.

Booth & Boylson Company,
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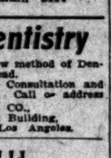

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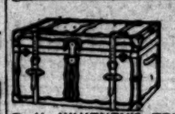

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